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ITALIAN YOUNG MAN SEEKS BATH; FINDS WATERY GRAVE

Gets Beyond His Depth in River and is Drowned

BODY IS SOON RECOVERED

No Inquest is Likely, As Drowning Was Purely Accidental

Frederick Moltz, an Italian youth 19 years old went to the river to bathe yesterday afternoon at about 5 o'clock, and venturing beyond his depth was drowned. Seach was made immediately for the body and it was recovered a short time after the acciden . It was taken in charge by Deputy Coroner M. T. Crowley and conveyed to the mortuary of Correl and Crowley, where funeral arrangements will be made.

Young Molts lived with his elder half brother Joseph Moltz, at 107 Luella avenue. Both were employed at the new filtration plant of the Charleroi Water company and were at work on the Sunday shift. When they quit work at 5 o'clock both went to the river below second street to take a bath The young man was in but a short time when he ventured into deep water and sank. His brother was unable to rescue him and gave the alarm. Quite a crowd soon collected, and many entered the water and began diving in search of the body.

Finally the services of John J. Gilmore were secured, and being an expert swimmer and diver, he located the body within ten minutes after he entered the water It was brought up and taken at once to the undertaking establishment As it seems to be a clear case of accidental drowning it is not likely that an inquest will be held.

CROWDS ATTEND CAMPMEETING

Many Who Could Not Get Conveyance Walked to and From Ground

Yesterday was the first Sunday of campmeeting at Bentleyville, and the day being an unusually good one the camp ground was thronged for all the meetings. Many Charleroi people went out to spend the day, and all manner of vehicles were called into service for transportation. Automobilists were greatly in evidence and excursion parties were run from Charleroi and other places along the valley to the camp ground. From Charleroi many persons who could not get a horse and rig, or could not secure automobile transportation walked. The Pennsylania railroad is running excursions on Sundays to Bentleyville.

Next Sunday will be the big day at camp and record breaking attendance is anticipated. Many Charleroi people have engaged far in advance rigs for that date, while others are contemplating making the trip by train. The campmeeting this year is said to better than usual. Good speaking and good music are features.

Mr. Hudspith and son George spent Sunday in McKeesport.

Champion "Hot Dog" Seller is Bob Vetter

Genial Clothing Men Realizes $23.50 at Lutheran Carnival Saturday Evening

The Lutheran Block Carnival, which has been an annual event for two years past, came to a successful conclusion Saturday evening, after a three day's session on Washington avenue, between Fifth and Sixth streets. All the booths and stands realized well, the banner receipts perhaps being from the "wiener" standwich stand, where Robert Vetter took in Saturday evening $23.50. The queen and princess carnival contest resulted as follows: Queen—Mrs Worthington 2,273 vote; Mrs Coulter, 1,180 vote. The prizes were a handsome rocking chair and stand Princess—Miss McConnell, 2,283 vote; Miss Dorbitz, 1,191 vote. The prizes were a handsome ring and brooch.

EAGLES EXPECT TO BEAT ELKS

"Honey" Wagner Thinks Lineup This Year Will Retrieve Itself

ELKS ARE ALSO CONFIDENT

Much interest centers in the forthcoming benefit baseball game between the Elks and the Eagles tomorrow afternoon. As previously stated this is for the benefit of the Monessen-Charleroi hospital and as a large number of tickets have already been sold indications point to a large turnout.

That the spectators will be treated to an interesting game is foretold by the lineup. As the Elks were victorious last year Manager Henry Wagner of the Eagles has been paying special attention to his team which he feels confident will be able to give a good account of itself. His lineup is as follows: Frank Hall, shortstop; J. Underwood, first base; Pete Naylor, third base; Henry Bentz, second base; Jack Hudspith, catcher; Frank Kline, centerfield; Sherm McFeeley, left Al Bertche; right. Henry Wagner; pitcher, George Newton, A. H. Furlong, and Frank McCaffrey utility men.

The Elks' lineup, includes, Kerfoot Daly, Pierce Ferguson, catcher D. M. McCloskey, manager S. C. Todd pitcher, John Jenkins, Chas. Bateman, J. K. Rickey, J. W. Mathias, Tom Hastings, Robt. Vetter, Robert McGowan, Thos. Eagye, Eli Williams, Bruce Barnett, George Barnett, and Louis Mitchell.

Preceded by a band and auto parade, the game will be called at 5:30 p m. Col. A. P. Stewart, who so successfully umpired the game last year with the aid of two Colt's navy revolvers, will again officiate. He is of the opinion that the players are tame enough to go through the game this year without calling the arsenal into play.

Three Boys Take Horse And Buggy for Joy Ride

Wanted to Go to Bentleyville Campmeeting, So Borrowed Neighbor's Outfit Without Asking Leave

Desiring to attend the Bentleyville campmeeting yesterday and having no conveyance of their own, three lads, whose ages range from eight to ten years, proceeded to hypothecate a horse and buggy for the purpose. The stable of James Frew, the Fallowfield avenue furniture dealer, seemed to afford the first opportunity and accordingly a rig was pressed into requisition.

Harnessing Mr. Frew's horse to the buggy, the three boys drove to and from Bentleyville a couple of times and took a general outing. Mr. Frew was finally apprised of the transaction and set out to recover his conveyance. It was dark when the trio drove into town for the last time, and even then they started to make a tour of the town before ending their outing. They were flagged on Lincoln avenue and the conveyance taken from them and returned. Considering the youthfulness of the offenders Mr. Frew let them off with some fatherly advice and a strict adminition not to repeat the offense.

USE SPLASH BOARDS KEEP BOATING STAGE IN RIVERS

Much Coal in Pittsburg Harbor Awaiting a Rise ---Improvements in Progress at Various Locks and Dams

Notwithstanding the low water and dry weather much coal is being mined and shipped from the local mines. A good nine foot boating stage of water has been maintained in the pools by reason of splash boards and adjustable dams which are usually resorted to this time of the year. The same can be said of the six pools in the upper Ohio, reaching from Beaver to Pittsburg. It is here that from six to ten million bushels of coal is being safely harbored, many of the larger coal packets being already hitched to their large tows awaiting a raise, being all ready to go on short notice. There still appears to be sufficient empty craft to keep the mines in operation for some time, yet the local docks are kept quite busy repairing and pulling them in order for rebuilding.

For some time past the boiler at Lock No. 4 has been out of commission, necessitating the operating of some portions of the machinery by hand. The United States Steamer Slackwate. arrived in port last week and by Saturday evening a much larger and better boiler was installed and at present everything is moving along in usual order.

The Slackwater recently made a cruise up the Allegheny river as far as Springdale, where new splashboards were placed on Dam No. 3 increasing the depth of water about 20 inches, which greatly facilitated the movements of the boats engaged in the sand and gravel industry in that section. Capt. Nutt on the return trip brought into port at North Charleroi a barge of machinery and shafting formerly in use at Lock No. 1. The two large steel gates used in the large Lock No. 1 were taken down in sections and removed by the crew of the Slackwater. This was considered quite a task, inasmuch as the rivets and all bolts has to be cut out by hand and the large sections of steel was removed piecemeal.

A new scraper boat has just been finished at the U. S. Government boat yards at North Charleroi and is ready to launch. A new and uptodate pumping boat is now in course of construction also, and will be ready to let into the river soon This boat will be fitted up with large and improved pumps of various sizes and dimensions and will be put into commission at some one of the new locks being built probably on the Ohio river.

The Steamer Swan with the Dredge boat No. 1 has been engaged for the past week removing the old dam at Lock No. 5 above Brownsville. Already a navigable pass has been cut through the old dam sufficient to allow boats to pass in safety. Labor on the entire dam and the old lock will be removed. The new lock at Brownsville which was put in commission only a short time has proven all the contractors and U. S. Government expected. It is a success in every way. The motor power is compressed air generated by large turbine water wheels, a new innovation on the local river and one that bids fair to become adopted in the future. The gates and machinery all work good, it requires but eight minutes to make a locking with a boat and full cargo. Many of the coal towing packets on the local waters are being repaired and generally put in good condition during the slack times. Owners and shippers anticipate a heavy coal shipping season the coming fall and winter, many heavy orders being booked for shipment.

The work on the second new lock at Lock No. 1, Pittsburg, is progressing very rapidly, the old structure is about all removed, cofferdams about all in and it is confidentally expected that much of the new work will be finished before cold weather sets in Work is being pushed night and day with two shifts of laborers, steamboats derricks and dredges.

IT'S GEN ANDERSON NOW, IF YOU PLEASE

A. H. Anderson, Esq. of Finleyville, Republican candidate for Senator of the Washington-Green district, was elected commander in-chief of the National Society, Army of the Philippines, at its eleventh annual convention in Chicago Saturday. Mr. Anderson served with the "Fighting Tenth" in the Philippines during the Spanish-American and Philippine wars as a private soldier.

Drowned at Coal Bluff

A foreigner by the name of Morse was drowned at Coal Bluff yesterday by being capsized from a skiff on the river. He ventured too close to a passing towboat and the waves swamped his craft. Not being able to swim he sank at once. His body was recovered shortly afterward and taken to Monongahela, where it was prepared for burial.

C. E. Higging of Charleroi was in Claysville visiting friends and relatives.

COLORED PEOPLE MAKE MERRY AT PARK

Lodge No. 479 of the Household of Ruth, the Monongahela auxiliary of the Grand United Order of Odd Fellows, is holding an annual outing at Eldora Park today. A large crowd is in attendance, where dancing and other amusements are whiling the time away pleasantly. The committee in charge is composed of Irene Lee, S. B. Batch, Sarah Thornton, J. G. Lee and Capt. Wm. Catlin.

Mrs. Mary Zancio

Mrs. Mary Zancio, 26 years old, died at her home at 1000 McKean avenue yesterday evening of typhoid fever. The funeral services have not yet been arranged.

Picnic at Cascade Park

The business men and citizens of Fayette City will take an outing to Cascade Park Wednesday. A special train will be chartered over the P. and L. E. railroad.

ITALIAN REFUSED DRINK STABS ONE SHOOTS TWO

Free for All Fight at Bentleyville May Result in Murder

ASSAILANT BADLY MAULED

Man Stabbed is Critical, But Others Not So Serious

Because he refused to give Lombardo Fornato, an Italian, a drink of whiskey last night Joe Master, a boarding house boss who lives in the McCormick No. 2 addition at Bentleyville, is at the Memorial hospital at Monongahela in a critical condition having been stabbed in the abdomen in a general fight that followed. In the melee two other men were shot and but not seriously wounded by Fortunato while the latter sustained a broken jaw besides numerous other bruises before he was overpowered and captured. The two men who were shot were Joe Marsky, a miner, shot in the hip, and Adam Percosky, also a miner, shot in the arm.

The affair was started when Fortunato who has never before been seen around the section, came to the house of Joe Masters, where a christening was going on and asked for a drink of whiskey. Masters refused him saying that he didn't sell whiskey and that they were just having a christening and at the time were dancing. The Italian told Masters that if he didn't give him a drink of whiskey, he would kill him. Masters again refused and the Italian drew out a long dirk knife and stabbed Masters in the abdomen.

Hearing his scream, Joe Marsky, one of the dancers, hurried to Masters' rescue. The Italian had thrown away the knife and drew out a revolver and shot Marsky in the hip and also hit Adam Percosky, who was dancing past the door. Five shots were fired.

The entire party attending the christening rushed out and commenced to beat the foreigner who was roughly handled. Constable Samuel Cox was notified of the affair and arrested the four men. They were taken to Monorgahela in a special train and admitted to the Memorial hospital.

Fortunato, who also is known by the alias of Fred Landis, after his wounds were dressed, was committed to jail at Washington today. The two men who were shot are not seriously injured, but Masters, is in a critical condition and may die.

Commissioners Say Five Precincts

Board Appointed by Court Recommends More Voting Places for Donora

Tom P. Sloan and Theodore J Allen of Charleroi and J. V. Cooper, of Fallowfield township, commissioners to investigate the matter of redivision of Donora voting precincts have prepared their report and will present it to the court at Washington today.

They recommend that Donora be redivided into five precincts. There were two meetings of the commissioners at which time testimony was taken from Donora citizens who had petitioned for the change to be made. Five precincts were not asked for but the commissioners after thorough investigation during which they made trips over all parts of the town considered that four, the number petitioned for was not enough.

WARD, BANK WERCKER, IS CAPTURED

Detectives Shadow His Wife and Locate Him At Asbury Park

FORFECTED $5,000 BAIL

Frederick W. Ward, of Pittsburg, who was convicted at Washington last August for conspiracy to defraud the Coal Centre Bank of $65,000, and who forfeited a bail bond of $5,000, was arrested at Asbury Park Sunday, having been located by Detective Leslie of a private agency, after a search of ten days.

Detective Walsh of the Washington police force, has been shadowing Ward's wife, who was found at the Hotel Maryland. Sunday as the couple were about to leave the hotel, her husband was made their prisoner.

Ward, along with Clifford H Drum, of Coal Centre, was convicted last fall of conspiracy to defraud the Bank of Coal Centre, of which Drum was cashier. After the trial, it was agreed that sentence would be suspended on both Drum and Ward, if they would pay up the amounts of which they had defrauded the bank. Drum made good and Ward skipped. His bondsman is Samuel G. Walker of Centerville, who is at present very sick at his home.

County Detective William McCleary will bring the prisoner back.

Property Bargain

Will sell my place at 227 McKean avenue consisting of 6 large rooms and bath, front porch, cellar, stable and all conveniences at less than cost to me. Bringing in now $13.00 rental per month besides my living there, which pays your water, taxes gas and insurance and sill leaves you a handsome balance. Reason, my business taking me out of town. Call at once. Easy terms. J. L. Taylor. 299tf

Notice

Boys Brigade will meet Tuesday evening at Tennis Court at 7 o'clock. Important. R. Dale Jolliffe.

Wanted

Lady bookkeeper. Apply Peoples Store, 536 Fallowfield avenue, Charleroi, Pa. 5t2

Miss Hazel Caster has gone to Pittsburg to spend some time in the wholesale millinery store after which she expects to be associated with Mrs. Dawson's millinery store of Fallowfield avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Reichblum and family of Wheeling are visiting at the home of Louis Collins of Wasnington avenue.

Dr. and Mrs H. H. Hill left today for a brief visit to Jeannette and Sharon.

J. K. Tener, Pres. S. A. Walton, Vice Pres. R. H. Rush, Cashier.

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Aug. 15 In American History.

1814—Battle of Fort Erie, Canada. The American garrison under General E. P. Gaines repulsed a heavy attack by the British.

1824—Marquis de Lafayette landed in New York and began his wonderful tour as the guest of the nation.

1858—First Atlantic cable message.

1895—General John D. Imboden, famous Confederate cavalryman, died at Abingdon, Va.; born 1821.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow.) Sun sets 6:54, rises 5.07; moon sets 12:25 a. m.; 5 p. m., planet Mercury at descending node, crossing sun's path southward. Halley's comet distant 221,850,000 miles.

Has Kept Faith

With the State campaign about to open the only issues that the Republican party can put forth are the party pledges of its platform, both State and National. These pledges for the most part relate to the economic well being of the whole people, and it is the thoroughness in which they are kept and put into effect that decides party supremacy. That a considerable element of the people are at all times dissatisfied with existing conditions is a foregone conclusion, and as our friends, the enemy, insist that they could have done better had they been in power, it is a question of fair and impartial judgment on the part of the people whether or not the Republican party has kept faith. We who believe in its principals believe that it has, and challenge our opponents to disprove the statement.

Endorsing to the fullest extent the party pledges of the National platform and President Taft's splendid administration, the Republican party of Pennsylvania has only to point to the latter's record as to the thoroughness of the manner in which party pledges have been kept. No Congress has fulfilled so unusually large a number of party pledges as the session just ended. Among these pledges may be enumerated the bills for creating postal savings banks for admitting Arizona and New Mexico as States and giving the Government stronger control over the railroads of the country. These bills were enacted under the spur of President Taft in an endeavor to keep faith with party pledges. In addition to these measures the last Congress made important changes in the land laws whereby the President has wider discretion in conserving the public domain for the benefit of the people. By this act alone President Taft has withdrawn millions of acres of public lands from the grasp of individual speculators, and is holding them for the use of future individual settlers and developers.

With issues like these, and the record of party faith well kept, the Republicans of Pennsylvania have nothing to fear at the election this fall. The only question at issue in the coming campaign is the matter of performing public service better than the party in power and the people feel that they do not care to risk the handicaps and confusion incident to a change.

Costly and Dangerous

In addition to endangering health and life besides inflicting all manner of physical discomfort the common housefly that is so great a pest at this particular season of the year, imposes a pecuniary tax upon the public that is no small consideration. The amount of money invested in screendoors and windows, and for their annual renewal, would go a long way toward liquidating the national debt and reducing the cost of living in general. This, with the amount annually expended for fly paper and other exterminators together with the energy of the average housewife in ridding her premises of the pest, would provide many luxuries that are now dispensed with.

The fly is the result of indifference to filth. Ninety-nine out of every hundred of the millions of flies that infest every household are born and bred in horse manure. Where this form of filth is not permitted to exist and accumulate, there are no flies to speak of. As a matter of course other forms of filth will breed flies but the community that banishes horse manure from under its noses will also do away with all other filth. England, by observing these precautions, has very nearly banished the housefly from its realm, and there are in this country summer resorts comparatively free from flies because they do not permit stables to exist in their midst. Not only is the fly a deadly menace to health, but it imposes a tax upon the public that is but more burdensome directly to individuals than the Payne Aldrich tariff over which the Washington Oberver is so solicitous. It's as easy to banish the fly as it is to keep cattle, hogs and sheep from running at large in this State.

A Matter of Record

Concerning the howl raised by the Washington Observer and Reporter over the alleged request for contributions from office holders at the county seat for campaign expenses this fall by the Republican county committee, the Washington Record has this to say:

The efforts of renegade newspapers to cause dissatisfaction among the men who are holding offices and appointments under the Republican party in this county are not being received with good grace by people who have had a little insight into the operations of the dead political machine, which, for the power of retorting money from candidates and office holders, was modeled after the plan of the inquisition.

There are three men holding office in the court house who during Acheson's management of the party, paid in one campaign assessment the aggregate sum of nine thousand dollars. Another man in the court house now holding an office so high and pure that it is not supposed to be tainted by the use of money other than the legitimate expenses of a campaign received a notice under the dead dynasty of a $2,000, assessent.

There were other political assessments of that period equally as unjust and unfair, and all the present office holders and men holding appointments who gladly contribute to the legitimate expenses of a campaign, are thankful that the old boss is now a political exile from the ranks of the Republican party, and that his old assessment machine has been dismantled and is now on the scrap heap.

It certainly is a correct and equitable proposition for the men holding office and appointed under a political party to make a fair and reasonable contribution to the expenses necessary to conduct its election, or to continue it in power for otherwise the candidates themselves, single-handed and alone, would be compelled to bear the entire expense of a successful campaign.

Some of these contributions under the Acheson regime are a matter of record. In the campaign of 1908, when the Fusionists gave Mr. Acheson a run for his money, the latter received and expended more from the national Republican campaign committee than he alleges is necessary to conduct a campaign in the district.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

First class mail matter has been defined as anything you are ashamed to have the postmaster or postmistress read and therefore, seal up. Also postal cards, where you're only allowed to argue on one side. If you think your letter should travel slowly invest 10 cents in a special delivery stamp. This will insure a nice leisurly journey, lasting from one to two days longer than by the cheap two-cent route.

They ca 't say Charleroi doesn't have any aeroplanes.—Charleoi Belgium.

Long life oftentimes depends on being well heeled.

The student of Greek well remember the story of Achilles, but others might not. He was a courageous Greek who did a general slaughtering business in Troy in 1180 B. C. but was finally pinked in the heel his only vulnerable spot and died.

Consolation

Somewhere the fish are biting,
Somewhere the water's fine,
Somewhere the summer boarders
Are wondering when they'll dine.
—Herald.

An exchange remarks that clothes do not make the man, but they sometimes allow an ass to masquerade as one.

If it costs a man $5,000 to dress in New York city, and he can't do a good job at that price, how much, do you suppose it would take him to dress correctly there.

The western exchange which speaks of "Bryan weather" is probably sarcastically compareing it to Pennsylvania weather, noted for its uncertainty.

We can't imagine why a little bit of praise should always make a fellow feel so unhappily embarrassed.

Hit Him Coming and Going.

An attorney went to a livery stable and hired a team for two or three hours and at the end of that time, in a state of absentmindedness, left the team at another livery stable, where it remained eight days. At stable No. 1 there was no worry about the team. They knew the attorney was perfectly good for the pay. They knew that if he kept the team a month the bill would be paid promptly on presentation. They presumed that he knew what he was about and concluded it was his business and not theirs. At stable No. 2 there was equal freedom from anxiety. The attorney came there, left the team and went away, saying nothing. They put the horse into a stall and "chalked it down" on the office slate, knowing him to be a business man who paid cash. Discovery came at last, and the lawyer was presented with two bills, one for eight days' hire and the other for eight days' keep. He paid both bills promptly, but it cured him of being absentminded for nearly a whole month.

The Coffee Cup In Persia.

The expression "to give a cup of coffee" has in Persia a somewhat ominous significance. This is due to the fact that the coffee cup is one recognized medium for conveying poison. Some years ago the governor of Aspadana, having long been at daggers drawn with the chief of a powerful mountain tribe, determined in this way to put an end to all trouble. He professed to entertain a great degree of friendship and esteem for the chieftain and invited him to visit him at his palace. The chief unsuspiciously came, accompanied by his two young sons. For a week they were royally entertained. But at last one morning when the chief came into his host's presence he was coldly received, and an attendant soon stepped forward with a single cup of coffee in his hand, which he offered to the guest. The latter could not fail to understand that he was doomed. Preferring, however, steel to poison, he declined the cup and was thereupon, at a signal from his host, stabbed to death.

The Exclusiveness of Caste.

An English officer who some years ago was wounded in a battle in India and left lying all night among the native dead and wounded tells this story: "Next morning we spied a man and an old woman, who came to us with a basket and a pot of water, and to every wounded man she gave a piece of joaree bread from the basket and a drink from her water pot. To us she gave the same, and I thanked heaven and her. But the Soobahdar was a high caste Rajput, and, as this woman was a Chumar, or of the lowest caste, he would receive neither water nor bread from her. I tried to persuade him to take it that he might live, but he said that in our state, with but a few hours more or less suffering to us—why should he give up his fate for such an object? No; he preferred to die unpolluted."

Getting Down to Business.

Mistress (to new servant)—There are two things, Mary, about which I am very particular. They are truthfulness and obedience. Mary—Yes'm, and when you tell me to say you're not in when a person calls that you don't wish to see which is it to be, mum—truthfulness or obedience?

RACE WAGERS IN INDIA.

Native's Method of Choosing a Winner and Making Bets.

The native of India wagers his money according to the colors worn by the jockeys and takes no heed of the merits of the horses, or he will back a horse ridden by his favorite jockey, no matter whether the animal is a rank outsider or not.

His ideas of gambling, in fact, are distinctly novel. Some of the more wealthy Indians form rings and back every horse in the race, thus gaining the satisfaction of getting a winner every time. It is really only of late years that the native of India has become a habitual gambler on the turf and nowadays the bulk of the betting of the various racing centers in India is done by natives. Indeed, the authorities are somewhat concerned about the growth of the betting which takes place among Indian natives, it being asserted that as many as thirty lacs of rupees (about £300,000) is lost and won in the course of a season.

The ignorant classes have not a great deal of actual money to wager, but so badly bitten are many of their with the craze for betting at race meetings that they frequently wager what little property they possess on a horse, and if they lose they simply replace their loss by stealing a neighbor's goods. The consequence is that when the racing season comes around the police are kept very busy dealing with cases of petty larceny and other crimes involving loss of property.—London Tit-Bits.

BILL LANGE'S FEAT.

One of the Famous Old Outfielder's Sensational Catches.

The greatest individual feat ever performed was one by which Bill Lange saved a game for Chicago and $200 for himself in Washington in 1895. There is an old story connected with the play. Lange had missed a train in Boston two days before, failed to reach New York in time to play there, and Anson had fined him $100. Thereupon he missed a train to Washington—arrived on the grounds after the teams had practiced and just in time to play, and for that Anson fined him another $100. The game that afternoon went eleven innings, Chicago scoring one run in the eleventh. There were two men out and a runner on the bases when "Kip" Selbach, then one of the hardest hitters in the business, smote the ball a terrific blow and sent it flying over Lange's head toward the center field fence. The hit seemed a sure home run, but Lange, a man weighing 225 pounds, turned and without looking sprinted desperately straight out toward the fence, racing with the flying ball. At the last instant, as the ball was going over his head, Lange leaped, stuck up both hands, turned a somersault and crashed against the fence. The boards splintered, one entire panel crashed outward, and out of the wreckage crawled Lange, holding the ball in his hand and the crowd went mad. Lange came limping in, with the crowd standing on seats shouting, and he said to Anson, "Fines go, cap?" "Nope," said Anson, and the catch had saved the big fielder $200.—Hugh S. Fullerton in American Magazine.

Why the Wind Waits.

In his book on "The Picturesque St. Lawrence" Clifton Johnson tells of the curious superstition of Montreal which explains why the wind is always blowing at the point where St. Sulpice and Notre Dame streets meet, close by the towering cathedral.

It seems that one day, while the church was in process of building, the Wind and the Devil were walking down Notre Dame street, and the Devil after regarding with a frown of disapproval the graceful outlines of the new edifice rising before him exclaimed:

"What is this? I never saw it before."

"Very likely not," responded the Wind, "and I dare you to go in there."

"You dare me to do that, do you?" cried the Devil, with a sneer. "Well, I will go in if you will promise to wait here until I come out."

"Agreed," said the Wind.

So his satanic majesty went in. But he has not come out yet, and the Wind is still waiting for him at the corner.

The Spirit of Liberty.

It was in the town that modern democracy had its rise. Despite all the efforts of the kings and barons to prevent it, the spirit of liberty began to assert itself in the larger towns in the shape of the charters which guaranteed to the people certain commercial and political rights—rights which, once obtained, were never to be surrendered. Before the middle of the eleventh century there were many of these "chartered" towns which possessed the right of electing their own magistrates, sheriffs and judges and regulating their own taxes. The wretched serfs from the country were welcomed by the townspeople and aided to larger freedom. These free towns were first known in Spain, from which country they slowly spread over Europe. The burgesses naturally offered protection and freedom to all who would flee to them from the feudal estates, and thus slowly, but surely, the good work went on until the ancient despotisms were destroyed.—Arena.

True Happiness.

About the unhappiest man in the world should be one that, having a fad, is able to make a living at it.—Chicago Record-Herald.

The arrow that pierces the eagle's breast is often made of his own feathers.

HOW THE FUNDS WERE EXAMINED

Fourth of July Committee Gives Statement of Facts and Figures

In order that the public may know just who contriduted and how the money was spent, the committee of the Fourth of July celebration submits the following statement of receipts and expenditures:

RECEIPTS.

Grocery Dealers.

J. E. Masters	$10.00
Charles Wallgren	5.00
John Guggie	5.00
Overland Tea Company	5.00
P. J. Deprez	2.50
Thomas Arrigo	2.50
Heffner & Vandermeule	2.50
John Vinko	2.50
C. Hilt	2.50
Gotthold Brothers	2.50
Louis Baltez	5.00
T. F. Lindsay	2.50
W. B. Carson & Co.	1.00
City Grocery	2.50
Frank McClure	2.50
Umbel Brothers	2.50
S. T. Franks	5.00
Mary Nicholi	2.50
Maravek Brothers	2.50
Monack Brothers	5.00
M. Goldstine	5.00
M. Merani	2.00
Philip Dinova	2.00
P. Pardina	2.50
	$83.00

Clothing and Dry Goods Dealers.

Jacob Swartz	$ 5.00
L. Collins	5.00
A. Haas	5.00
Eugene Fan	5.00
People's Credit Company	5.00
M. Melsher	5.00
L. R. Bedsworth	5.00
George Vetter	5.00
Oppenheim Brothers	5.00
Leslie Campbell Company	5.00
H. Teitelbaum	5.00
Greenberg Brothers	5.00
Murdock & McCarty	5.00
L. Rosenbloom	5.00
B. Krakover	5.00
Frank Riva	5.00
J. D. Switzer & Co.	2.50
J. W. Berryman & Son	10.00
Kirk & Clark	10.00
	$102.50

Banks.

Bank of Charleroi	$ 20.00
Charleroi Savings & Trust Co.	20.00
First National Bank	20.00
	$60.00

Hotels and Brewery.

W. H. Coles	$ 50.00
George L. West	50.00
W. R. Gaut	50.00
A. W. Day	50.00
George F. Rylands	50.00
W. J. Zellers, Sr.	50.00
George Myford	25.00
Charleroi Brewing Company	50.00
	$375.00

Livery Men.

S. K. Leonard	$ 5.00
Roley Livery	5.00
D. E. Kimmell	5.00
	$ 15.00

Furniture Dealers.

J. Frew	$ 5.00
Joseph Lichter	5.00
W. B. Pileghardt	5.00
S. L. Woodward	5.00
	$ 20.00

Hardware Dealers.

T. P. Grant	$ 5.00
D. K. Duvall	5.00
J. H. Bowers	5.00
	$ 15.00

Plumbing Shops.

J. M. Fleming	$ 5.00
Regan & Hormell	5.00
Victor Adams	2.50
	$ 12.50

Drug Stores.

Cary Piper	$ 10.00
C. W. Weltner	10.00
William F. Hennings	10.00
Carrol's Drug Store	5.00
	$ 35.00

Shoe Dealers.

Adolph Beigel	$ 5.00
Louis Beigel	5.00
C. W. Newcomer	5.00
J. J. Beerens	5.00
	$ 20.00

Ice Cream and Confectionery.

U. S. Orange	$ 10.00
George Polites	10.00
P. Callistri	5.00
Joe Caruso	5.00
George Wagner	15.00
West Corey	1.00
Mrs. Mazzola	2.00
Paul Ternavsky	2.50
George Popson	1.00
	$ 51.50

Real Estate Dealers.

John C. McKean	$ 5.00
M. J. Tylavsky	5.00
J. A. Hepler	5.00
Charles R. Trew	5.00
Charles O. Frye	5.00
George W. Risbeck	5.00
Charleroi Real Estate Agt.	5.00
T. D. Williamson	5.00
L. P. Flickinger	5.00
People's Real Estate Agency	5.00
	$ 50.00

Jewelry Dealers.

J. W. McKean	$ 5.00
John W. Schafer	5.00
Thomas Tomlinson	2.50
M. Goldsmith	2.50
	$ 15.00

Millinery.

Mrs. Dawson	$ 5.00
Stewart Millinery	5.00
Maude Spidell	5.00
William Evans	5.00
	$ 20.00

Undertakers.

I. O. Wycoff	$ 5.00
Correll & Crowley	5.00
Reeves & Reeves	5.00
	$ 15.00

Meat Markets.

Dunlap Meat Market	$ 5.00
John Sonnenlitter	2.50
Johnson Meat Market	5.00
J. C. Lowstutter	5.00
Charles Schmeiler	5.00
Chachko & Jacobs	5.00
	$ 27.50

Restaurants.

Carroll's Restaurant	$ 5.00
W. H. Saxon	10.00
J. Robinson	5.00
Casino Restaurant	10.00
William McPeek	7.00
	$ 37.00

Miscellaneous.

Robertson Brothers	$ 5.00
Charleroi Laundry	5.00
John Kuth	2.00
Mountser & Potter	10.00
Harper Brothers	5.00
Greenberg Gas Company	5.00
Charleroi Foundry & Machine Co.	5.00
Charleroi Iron Works	5.00
J. W. Mathias	2.50
John Jenkins	2.50
Conrad Delvaux	2.50
Leon Depose	2.50
Valley Crystal Ice Company	5.00
John Majors	5.00
Atlantic & Pacific Tea Company	2.50
H. J. Booth	10.00
Moose Club	5.00
Turn Verein	5.00
Elk's Club	5.00
[illegible] Co.	5.00
Cudahy Packing Company	5.00
O. B. Clutter	2.50
Jones Brothers	2.50
George S. Might	2.50
Sausage Manufacturing Co.	10.00
Singer Sewing Machine Co.	2.50
Joseph Haube	5.00
D. N. Hall	2.50
Joseph Irose	5.00
Woolworth & Co.	2.50
W. H. Calvert	5.00
A. C. Martinet	15.00
Fred Freeman	5.00
Collins Wall Paper Co.	2.50
G. T. Barger	2.50
Charleroi Water Company	2.50
R. O. Vetter	5.00
A. H. Furlong	5.00
Pittsburg Railway Co.	5.00
West Side Railway Co.	25.00
S. Friedman	25.00
T. L. Daly	5.00
John Munich	5.00
J. W. Pepper	2.50
P. Micelli	2.50
Charleroi Lumber Co.	.50
Walton Lumber Co.	10.00
A. D. Spencer	10.00
Charleroi Auto Garage	10.00
	$257.00

Pool Rooms.

George Bailey	$ 5.00
Ray's Pool Room	5.00
Charles Umbel	5.00
H. L. Swickey	5.00
W. C. Phillips	5.00
	$25.00

Summary.

Grocery Dealers	$ 83.00
Clothing & Dry Goods Dealers	102.50
Banks	60.00
Hotels and Brewery	375.00
Livery Men	15.00
Furniture Dealers	20.00
Hardware Dealers	15.00
Plumbing Shops	12.50
Drug Stores	35.00
Shoe Dealers	20.00
Ice Cream & Confectionery	51.50
Real Estate Dealers	50.00
Jewelry Dealers	15.00
Millinery	20.00
Undertakers	15.00
Meat Markets	27.50
Restaurants	37.00
Pool Rooms	25.00
Miscellaneous	285.00
Total amount collected	$1,264.00

EXPENDITURES.

Geo. Ewing—Erecting speaker's stand	$ 12.66
E. E. Piper—Distributing bills	25.00
John Mitchell—Speaker	150.00
Prof. Franks—Bull wrestler	35.00
J. J. Hott—Foot race, prize	50.00
R. W. Hall—John A. Wood Band	105.00
R. H. Rush—Extra to J. A. Wood Bd	15.00
Daniel Roland—Naomi Band	50.00
James Monack—Italian Band	75.00
F. G. Silvers—Decorating Streets	150.00
Steck & Wertz—Printing	48.25
S. E. Heisley—Fireworks	200.00
Joseph T. S. Cowen—Advertising	15.75
Mail Publishing Co.—Advertising	51.70
Louis Goazioa—Advertising	3.00
Friday Evening Call—Advertising	3.00
Donora American—Advertising	9.00
Sentinel Pub. Co.—Advertising	14.40
Clipper-Monitor—Advertising	9.60
Monongahela Times—Advertising	19.20
L. M. Truxal—Advertising	10.00
Monessen News—Advertising	21.00
Fayette City Journal—Advertising	14.00
Record Company—Advertising	17.00
Donora News—Advertising	6.00
Charleroi Lumber Co.—Lumber	11.75
Walton Lumber Co.—Lumber	13.56
John Majors—Printing & Postage	4.90
Berryman & Son—Merchandise	22.99
Prof. J. G. Pentz—Printing & Postage	5.50
W. H. Coles—Six (6) meals	3.00
John Scurfield—One (1) cab	6.00
Frank Behout—One (1) cab	6.00
J. J. Hott—Sundry Expense	37.50
George W. Risbeck—Postal Cards and Postage	4.50
Printing Statement	5.00
Balance in hands of Treasurer	8.34
Total	$1,264.00

Respectfully submitted,
R. H. RUSH,
W. R. GAUT,
KERFOOT W. DALY,
E. W. HASTINGS,
GEO. W. RISBECK,
Finance Committee.

Fashions In Borneo.

According to the rules of Borneoan fashion it is deemed necessary to mold one's limbs into a more shapely form than that bestowed by nature. This is done really effectively by winding strong brass wire round the ankles, the wrists, under the knees and above the elbows of children. Growth at these points is, in consequence, greatly hampered, with the result that the limbs come to be deformed or, according to Dyak ideas, brought into proper shape. The headdress consists of a curious headwork cap, and around his neck a bridegroom to be wears bangles of plaited fiber and strings of cowrie shells. These shells, by the way, as in other parts of the world, are used as currency. A yard of fiber or twenty to thirty cowrie shells represent the value of a penny. The white armlets are made of another species of shells. —Wide World Magazine.

What a Toad Enjoys.

There are few things more amusing than to watch a toad submitting to the operations of a back scratching. He will at first look somewhat suspiciously at the twig which you are advancing toward him, but after two or three passes down his back his manner undergoes a marked change, his eyes close with an expression of infinite rapture, he plants his feet wider apart, and his body swells out to nearly double its ordinary size, as if to obtain by these means more room for enjoyment. Thus he will remain until you make some sudden movement which startles him or until he has had as much petting as he wants, when, with a puff of regretful delight, he will reduce himself to his usual dimensions and hop away, bent once more on the pleasures of the chase.

In Hearing.

They stood upon the crest of the mountain and gazed off through the purple distances.

"Darling," he whispered, bending closer, "give me a kiss—just one!"

"No, Clarence," she answered timidly; "some one will hear us. There may be other ears around."

"Other ears! Why should you think so, dearest?"

"Oh, because I have so often heard of mountaineers I thought perhaps there might be some around, and"—

But just then there was a mighty crash. A mountain goat had heard the awful pun and jumped over the cliff.—London Tatler.

An Impossible Man.

"Why did you marry me?"

"Because I thought you were different from other men."

"And now you want a divorce because you were mistaken?"

"No; because I was right."—Cleveland Leader.

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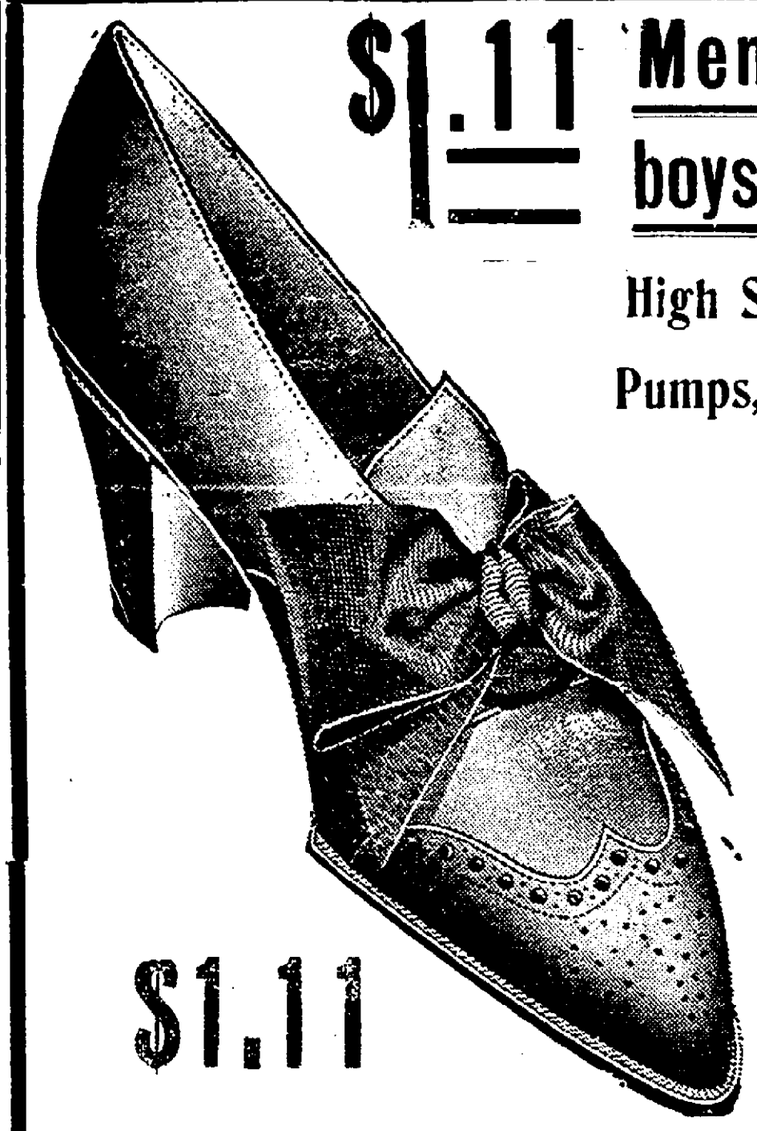

$1.11 Men's, women's, boys' & girls' shoes

High Shoes, Low Shoes,

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A sale that is really bordering on the phenomenal---the whole store is astir with the enthusiasm that is keeping August a busy month. It is making hundreds of new friendships and cementing old friendships still more closely. The sound merits of the offerings are as much their sterling character as in the very low prices. We are offering only what is worthy of the store and its customers.

$1.11

We are going to make this week the biggest week of this big sale, by adding many of the best values reserved for the end of this big sale

A score of the best known shoe manufacturers are finding an outlet for their surplus stocks through this $1.11 sale. You'll see on the soles of these shoes the names of nationally known makers and the $3 and $4 price at which these shoes were made to sell.

Choose from patent colt, gunmetal kid, brown kid, tan calf, suede, cravenette, velvet, enamel, russet calf and colored kid. Every kind of sole from the lightest hand turned to the sturdy extension effects for street.

Misses' and Children's Shoes and Oxfords, we have in all leathers and all sizes. Time is here for you to save money. Our low prices make it easy for mothers to do so.

Remember the varieties are extensive, quantities ample, qualities excelling, and the price--1.11--speaks for itself. The closing bell finds the crowds still coming, pressing eagerly in to get the big values.

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Stores Will be Closed All Day

GRAND FREE BARBECUE

A Whole Roasted Ox for the use of our Guests,
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THE MYSTERY OF MARS.

Old but Unsolved Problem. Is There Animal Life on the Planet?

With a planet so old as Mars and so far along in the process of life extinction the conditions of life would be severe, and only a highly intellectual and scientifically developed race could endure and master them. The engineering skill and constructive capacity to control the annual floods from the poles, store the waters and build the thousands of miles of huge canals would require scientific knowledge beyond that possessed by us at the present time and financial resources in excess of those we have yet accumulated. The nation that finds the digging of a little ditch at Panama so great a task would be helpless in the face of such a problem as these thousands of miles of Martian canals, if, indeed, canals they be. Yet, in view of the greater life age of Mars, such higher intelligence would be natural in the regular process of development, assuming that it has ever been the abode of intellectual life.

Scientists are in the main in a receptive state on this subject. They are not ready to admit that the existence of life on that planet has been proved. They do not deny it, but call for greater proof than a plausible theory. Among others than scientists there is in the main a disposition not to accept the Martian human life theory or the theory of life on any of the thousands of spheres that wheel and glisten in illimitable space. They seem to think that such a theory conflicts with religion and dwarfs man and his importance in the scheme of creation.

This seems to be a very narrow view to take, since it appears to set bounds upon the infinite power and creative desires of the Almighty, whose great scheme of mortal and immortal life is not necessarily confined to a single planet or the few billions of human beings who are born and die upon it. As to dwarfing the importance of man, a few billions more added to the billions on earth would make little difference. Man is at best a small and insignificant creature, but if all embracing wisdom, power and love takes solicitous note of him it would be limiting those infinite qualties to say that one planet must be his abiding place. Therefore the question of human intelligence on Mars or any other planet of the solar system or the other great systems in remote space should be purely and simply a scientific one, to be accepted as true only when proved, but not to be rejected through sentiment or for any other reason whatever except lack of proof.—St. Louis Sta

Soothing Sewing.

Few "nervy" women realize what a soothing effect sewing has on the nerves. When things go wrong in the home and numerous irritations gather in the mind, an hour's sewing is a wonderful comfort.

George Sand, one of the most neurotic women, was always loud in praise of the soothing effect of sewing a long seam, and every woman who has tried this simple remedy will contribute a similar testimony.

A Safety Holder.

The person who delights in a fountain pen, but is always in fear of the ink spilling out, now finds comfort in a safety holder. This is in nickel and in wood and costs very little.

It can be attached to any fountain pen and keeps it from spilling a drop of ink.

Lemon Juice Whitens Rice.

It is said that a dash of lemon juice added to the rice while boiling will not only whiten the kernels, but will add just a suggestion of the lemon flavor. This will be found to be a pleasant change.

Where Women May Not Pray.

In some parts of the world the women are not even allowed to pray. Certain Hindoo congregations deny their women this privilege, and among the Ainus women can pray only in very rare cases as the deputies of their husbands. The natives of Madagascar, however, stretch a point and permit their women to intercede with the powers of evil, but prayer to their supreme being is strictly a masculine prerogative.

BARGAIN HUNTING.

The Strenuous National Game of the American Women.

There is always something impressive about a crowd that is swayed by a single emotion. You get an impression of force, says Mary Heaton Vorse in Success Magazine. These women, who a few moments ago had been quiet shoppers, formed a mob. They swayed and pushed as though moved by a common impulse toward a table where were the embroideries. From their throats came a little dull growl, a curious noise—the whisper of a mob.

The noise of a mob in joy or in anger or in fright or just its restless murmur as it waits is different from any other noise that comes from the human throat—quite distinct, of a curious animal timber. I heard it once on the occasion of the throwing of a bomb, again from a crowd waiting for a bank to open and a third time in a theater when fire had been called, and now here it was in miniature from a couple of hundred women waiting to buy ten cent embroideries.

They were poor women with shawls and baskets, women with babies in their arms, women with threadbare clothes carefully brushed, who must think before spending each dime in the dollar, but for once indulging in the great sport of American women—bargain hunting.

Making Money Two Ways.

Our five cent pieces, of course, are merely tokens, deriving their purchasing power from the fiat of the treasury. The metal blanks for them cost only about 14 cents a hundred. When the expense of stamping the designs upon them is added they come to something like $3,510 a million—that is to say, for this amount the government produces $50,000 worth of nickels, making a clear profit of $46,490 on the transaction.—Saturday Evening Post.

Not Surprised.

Real Estate Agent—I tell you, sir, the death rate in this suburb is lower than in any other part of the county.

Near Victim—I believe you. I wouldn't be found dead here myself.—Chicago Journal.

PATTI'S EARNINGS.

The Famous Prima Donna a Fine Business Woman.

Adelina Patti [illegible] from the financial troubles of a Jenny Lind. Not only was she supreme vocalist, but, as Colonel Mapleson remarked, "No one ever approached her in the art of obtaining from a manager the greatest possible sum he could by any possibility contrive to pay." But the musical miracle was the spoiled darling of her day, and she never failed to obtain exactly what she wanted. She was first engaged in London, in 1861, by Mapleson, to sing four nights "on approval" and, in case of success to obtain £40 a week. This contract was not fulfilled, however, for, being hard pressed financially, she had borrowed £50 from a rival manager, and her receipt proved practically a contract.

This was the beginning of a career so dazzling that its successive steps are simply a series of increasing bank notes. In 1872 she obtained in London 200 guineas a night, since she insisted on having more than Christine Nilsson, who was receiving £200. She sang twice a week. Ten years later she was given $5,000 a night. Her famous contract to sing in America provided that the money should be paid to her at 2 o'clock on the day she sang; also a drawing room and sleeping car to be especially built for her, with conservatory, farnery, etc. Further, there was to be deposited to her credit $50,000 for payment of the last ten performances—Patti's favorite device. She thus received about twenty times what Mario and Grisi got.

Her private car, incidentally, cost $60,000 and contained a silver bath and gold keys to the doors, to say nothing of a $2,000 piano. Patti gave to the manager only her voice and her costumes. Her drawing capacity justified this. "Lucia," as an example was sung to an average of $14,000. "Traviata" drew more, since she sang more notes. It was a frequent occurrence among the poorer music lovers to buy a club ticket and each take turns at hearing her for twenty minutes. If one overstayed his time he paid for the entire ticket. Some mathematicians computed by dividing the number of notes sung into the sum paid that in "Semiramide" Patti received 42½ cents for each note. This was found to be just 7 1-10 cents per note more than Rossini got for writing the whole opera.

Biblical Instruction.

"What does exegesis mean, father?"

"I can never remember long what it does mean. It is something theological—probably a combination of Exodus and Genesis, about like Deuteronomy."—Life.

Ordinance No. 48.

Prescribing the materials to be used in sidewalks and regulating the laying of the same and the width and thickness thereof on Lincoln avenue and Fourth street.

Section 1: Be it enacted by the burgess and town council of the Borough of North Charleroi, in the County of Washington and State of Pennsylvania, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, that from and after the approval of this ordinance, all sidewalks or footways laid within the streets of this borough shall be laid upon the streets hereinafter designated in the manner hereinafter prescribed and shall be located and constructed under the direction of the street committee of the Council, which is improved under Ordinance No. 48.

Section 2: That on Lincoln avenue and Fourth street in said borough of North Charleroi, sidewalks shall be constructed of sawed stone not less than two inches in thickness laid upon the foundation or bed of cinders, not less than six inches in depth or concrete laid upon a foundation or bed of cinders not less than 14 inches in depth, and said sidewalks shall be not less than five feet in width.

Section 3: That when any sidewalk or footway within the limits of the Borough upon the streets designated shall be in such condition that the necessary repairs thereto, will in the judgment of the Town Council amount to a relaying thereof, it shall be considered as coming within the provisions of this ordinance, and such sidewalks shall be ordained or relaid in accordance with the provisions hereof.

Section 4. That in case any property owner shall violate the provisions of this ordinance by laying or relaying, or causing to be laid or relaid, a sidewalk which is not in accordance with the provisions hereof, then written notice of this ordinance with copy thereof, shall be given to such property owner, his or her agent or attorney, to relay said sidewalk in accordance with the requirements of this ordinance and if after ten days from the date of the serving of said notice, the said sidewalk be not relaid in accordance with the provisions hereof, the street committee shall cause such sidewalk to be relaid in accordance with the requirements of this ordinance, and the cost of the work and the materials of such relaying with twenty (20) per centum advance thereon shall be collected from the defaulting lot owner as provided by the second section of the Act of Assembly of of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania entitled "An Act regulating boroughs."

Section 5: That all other ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith or supplied hereby be and the same are hereby repealed.

Enacted into an ordinance this 8th day of August, 1910.

Herman Nebelling,
President of Council.
Per Tem

Attest:—
J. W. Hagerty,
Clerk of Council.

Examined and approved by me this 8th day of August 1910.

David Shafer,
Acting Burgess.

His Prayer.

A good old deacon in Connecticut was very pious and very fond of clams. When once upon a time he attended a Rhode Island clambake he overtaxed his capacity and was sorely distressed. But his faith in prayer was unabated. Leaving the party and going down on his knees behind a tree, he was heard to supplicate: "Forgive me, O Lord, this great sin of gluttony. Restore my health and I will never eat any more clams." Then after a judicious pause "Very few, if any. Amen."

Why He Was Popular.

"How do you know your husband is not a good poker player?"

"Because," answered young Mrs. Torkins, "no good poker player could be so popular as he is with other poker players."—Washington Star.

A HOT TIME

You are familiar with the "sweet refrain"

are you not?

You know also that the weather is hot.

do you not?

But do you know that the

BANK OF CHARLEROI

is hotter after your banking business than all out door—than all the rag-time "hot-times" ever composed or written—than all the burning, seathing chunks of red hot Sapho that ought not to have been composed or written.

That it offers conservative, experienced management of your business of whatever nature intrusted, and as security, its ample capital and surplus fund of more than double the amount of any bank in Charleroi or vicinity.

Bank of Charleroi

Capital and Surplus $285,000

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Tuberculosis Often Develops From Pneumonia

Consumption readily attacks those who have had Pneumonia. Many sufferers from tuberculosis give a history of having had pneumonia. The lungs thus weakened are more easily attacked by the germs that cause consumption.

For all those with "weak lungs," especially those who have had pneumonia, Eckman's Alterative is the appropriate remedy. Cures of consumption are accomplished by Eckman's Alterative. But take it in time. There is no wisdom in waiting until Tuberculosis is established. Health is never fully valued until sickness comes.

"I wish I had known of Eckman's Alterative two years ago. Since taking it I have gained twenty-eight pounds and I cannot but be very thankful to you and the Almighty God for the great blessing and change of health it has brought me."

(Signed) Thomas Reilly,
1426 Broadway, Camden, N. J.

Eckman's Alterative is good for all Throat and Lung troubles, and is on sale in Charleroi by W. F. Hennings and other druggists. It can also be obtained at, or procured by, your local druggist. Ask for Booklet of Cured Cases or write or evidence to the Eckman Laboratory, Phila., Pa.

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SHOOTING WHALES

Modern Methods Use a Cannon and an Explosive Harpoon

Whaling with modern methods in Alaskan waters is an exciting game, especially for those who are new to the business. The modern whaling steamer is a little vessel almost round on the bottom, which enables it to be turned and maneuvered with the greatest ease. Mounted at the bow is a small cannon that shoots a harpoon weighing more than 100 pounds and having an explosive head, called the bomb.

If the shot is good and the harpoon is planted squarely behind the fin, the bomb crashes into the lungs, killing instantly; if not, the struggle may last for several hours.

After a whale has been killed the carcass is brought alongside the boat and inflated so that it will float. A long coil of rubber hose, one end of which is attached to a pump and the other to a hollow spear pointed tube of steel, with perforations along its entire length, is used for this purpose.

The spear is thrust well down into the whale's side, the air pump started and the body slowly filled with air. When inflated enough to keep it afloat the tube is withdrawn, the incision plugged with oakum and the carcass cast off. A buoy with a flag is attached to the body, and it is then set adrift to be picked up at the end of the day's hunting.

The whaling station is a group of buildings situated in a bay or cove near enough to the feeding grounds to allow the steamer to come in each night with the day's catch. The whales are anchored at a buoy in front of a long, inclined platform, upon which they are drawn, tail first, by means of a steam winch.

The saying that every part of the pig but the squeal is now of market value is also a fact with the whale. Not a particle of the animal is wasted. After the skeleton is stripped of flesh it is disarticulated and the bones chopped in pieces.

The blubber is tried out for oil, and the meat and bones are boiled for the same purpose. Later the flesh is artificially dried and sifted, making a fine guano, and the bones are ground up for fertilizer. Even the blood is boiled and dried with the flesh, and the water in which the blubber has been tried out makes excellent glue. The fins and tail, after being sliced into thin strips, are salted and barreled and shipped to Japan as an article of food.—World's Work.

A Judicial Favor.

A verdant local reporter whose propensities incline to daring rather than to judgment and whose ardency in the quest of news is one of his marked characteristics approached a judge of the United States district court and solicited a little advance information on a case in progress in the judge's court.

"You see, judge," said the youngster to the astonished jurist, "we go to press in a few moments, and we all know your inclination to do a newspaper man a favor."

The venerable man eyed the youth sternly and said slowly and emphatically:

"Yes, young man, I'll do you a favor this time, and you will see that you don't ask me again."

"That's fine, your honor. Thanks, very much. Just a few lines will do."

"I will do you this favor. I shall not send you to jail this time, but if you ever approach me again with such a question your friends will not see you for some time."

The discomfited reporter retired ruminating on the mysteries of the law and the dignities pertaining to the judiciary.—Philadelphia Ledger.

LOCAL MENTION

Interesting News Items Condensed for Busy Readers.

Misses Eva Jarvis and Genevieve Mounts of Washington have returned home after spending a few days with their friend, Miss Ora Hall.

Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Hunter spent Sunday with the family of C. E. Lantz near Rices Landing.

Controller and Mrs. John H. Moffitt were in town from Washington Saturday night and Sunday visiting home folks.

Floyd Chalfant, the hustling young city editor of the Mail left today for, a two weeks' vacation. He may visit Chautauqua and other points before he returns.

Mrs. Potter of Mansfield, Ohio is a visitor at the home of her son, W. E. Potter of Fallowfield avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Bowman of Braddock, were Sunday visitors in Charleroi, the guests of the latter's sister Mrs J. B. Barth, of Washington avenue. Their daughter, Ethel May, after a visit of two weeks here and Master Darwin Barth accompanied them home.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph R. Chalfant, daughter Alvera and son Chadds were over Sunday visitors of the former's mother Mrs. E. M. Chalfant of Washington avenue.

Phillip Hileman, managing editor of the Waynesburg Times, who was formerly an employe of the Charleroi Mail, was a visitor in Charleroi over Sunday.

Rev. A. M. Doak pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church, exchanged pulpits yesterday with Rev. William Allison of Wilkinsburg.

Miss Elsie Crill has gone to Cambridge Springs where she will spend several days.

Jesse Waggoner, of the Adams Express company, is a witness at court this week, being subpoened on the case where two foreigners shipped explosives illegally some time ago.

D. M. McCloskey, Esq. and Lee Chandler returned Sunday evening from Deerfield Park, Md., where they spent a delightful vacation.

S. Walton Sharpnack with his wife and daughter have returned from Rices Landing, where he spent the past week. He made the trip to and from that place in his Hupmobile.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar B. Walters returned to their home in Pittsburg last evening after having spent some time here.

Frank Flickinger of Pittsburg was a Sunday visitor with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Flickinger of McKean avenue.

John Maines the Pittsburg messenger, and his wife left this morning for a vacation to be spent at Sharon, Pa.

LOST--Pay envelope containing $26.46. Name Pillicall Levero. Finder leave at 12 Mail office. Reward. 5t2p

Chas. W. Hepler and family of Washington are visiting at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. Maude Slaughter on Second street.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Krahmer were Pittsburg visitors over Sunday.

Miss Jean Calvert and her friend, Miss Wheeler of Bellevue, and Miss Katherine Zellers were among the Charleroi contingent at the Bentleyville camp ground on Sunday.

Mrs. S. E. White who has been visiting at the home of J. S. Crawford has returned to her home in Wilkinsburg, Pa.

Mrs. T. F. Lindsay has left for Bellewood, where she expects to visit for a time.

J. J. Hott with his wife and baby daughter, left Saturday for Cambridge Springs in his large touring car. They will remain for a short vacation.

F. B. Burwell, district manager of the Bell Telephone company, visited friends in Brownsville Sunday.

Ray Moore came down in his motor boat from Millsboro Sunday to visit his friend, Daile Robert.

Adolph Beigel of the Sample Shoe Store, returned Sunday evening from a trip that included Cleveland, Detroit, Mt. Clemens and other points. Mr Beigel made the trip in his touring car.

Miss Mollie Craven spent Friday and Saturday in the millinery houses of Pittsburg looking up new fall styles.

Walter C. and T. Jay Reeves returned this morning from Niagara Falls and Buffalo, N. Y. where they spent the past week.

Miss Nellie Dick of California, formerly with Mrs. Dawson's millinery store is spending some time at Pittsburg preparatory to taking a position.

CONGREGATION INSTALLS PASTOR

Imposing Ceremonies Held Held Last Evening At Slavish Church

An interesting as well as imposing ceremony was the blessing of the priest's vestments and the installation of the new pastor of the Slavish Catholic church at Tenth street last evening. A number of visiting priests were present and addresses were made by Revs. Uhlaric of Pittsburg and Rev. Sterl of Donora, Rev. W. D. Fries of St. Agnes church, and Rev. Wigley of Monessen, as well as the pastor of the local Italian Catholic church were also present and assisted. A feature was the music by the parish band.

The new pastor installed is Rev. Charles Tresny, who comes here from the south, where he has been engaged in missionary work. He succeeded Rev. Polevke, who was recently transferred to another location.

New York

Mrs. Emma Dawson, the proprietor of the Millinery Parlors at 602 Fallowfield avenue who is ever alert to the needs and demands of her trade in the line of Bon Ton Millinery is now in New York, carefully selecting the good things for her Charleroi parlors.

New York is the very center of Millinery art and one can always find the styles in all their fullness. In this day and age the patrons expect and rightly to, to be able to have in their home store the new fashions decreed by fashion and at a much less cost than the same could be secured in the large cities as their rents and expenses in large cities is much greater than in our home town, hence the advantage of Mrs. Dawson going straight into the metropolitan market.

It will pay the ladies of Charleroi to drop in and see a few early advance styles on display and keep in touch with the progressive millinery store.

Mrs. Dawson expects this season to be a busy one and is laying in largely in order to supply the demand. 5t1.

FILIAL DUTY.

An Example From the Chinese of a Good Little Boy.

In China the "Book of Filial Duty" has been employed to instruct the young for the last 2,500 years. In it are twenty-four examples for good boys. What these examples are like may be understood from the story of Wu Meng, example No. 20. Wu Meng, it seems, was very obedient to his parents. One day at the age of eight he noticed with pain that the mosquitoes annoyed his parents while they were trying to sleep. Presently he hit upon a plan to rescue them.

Says the author of this classic: "The buzzing of the mosquitoes sounds like 'ying ying,' and their united hum is almost equal to thunder. His tired parents are reclining on their bed, their countenances already sunk in slumber. Legions of mosquitoes fiercely attack them, alternately retreating and advancing. The insects disturb the dreaming sleepers, and with annoyance they toss from side to side.

"Wu sees them sucking his parents' blood, which causes his heart to grieve. His flesh, he thinks, can be easily pierced, but that of his parents is hard to penetrate. Lying on the bed, he threw off his clothes, and soon, feeling the pain of their attacks, he cried, 'I have no dread of you, nor have you any reason to fear me!

"'Although I have a fan, I will not use it, nor will I strike you with my hand. I will lie very quiet and let you gorge to the full.'"

Thus did the parents of Wu Meng get a chance to sleep in peace.

Russian Vengeance.

The Russian revolutionaries have absolutely no mercy on those who betray them. It is well known that in the year 1903 a traitor caught at Odessa was bricked up alive in a cellar.

Regnier, a French spy in the pay of the Russian police, for a long time eluded the vengeance of the revolutionaries. But they caught him at last and that just at the moment when he fancied himself safe. His body was found in his cabin on a ship which reached Antwerp. He had been suffocated by fumes of sulphureted hydrogen. How this was done was never discovered.

Classified Ads

FOR RENT—5 rooms, bath, good yard $19.00: 5 room house 1100 Lincoln, $13.00; 4 room house house, Crest avenue, $12.00 3 rooms, upstairs McKean avenue, $9.00; 2 room house, $7.00. Inquire of Charles O. Frye, 511 Washington avenue. 3t3

WANTED—A girl for general housework. White or colored. Call at 414 Fallowfield avenue. 300tf

TO LET—Five room flat. Hall and Whitlatch, Fourth and Fallowfield. 287tf

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ITALIAN YOUNG MAN SEEKS BATH; FINDS WATERY GRAVE

Gets Beyond His Depth in River and is Drowned

BODY IS SOON RECOVERED

No Inquest is Likely, As Drowning Was Purely Accidental

Frederick Moltz, an Italian youth 19 years old went to the river to bathe yesterday afternoon at about 5 o'clock, and venturing beyond his depth was drowned. Seach was made immediately for the body and it was recovered a short time after the accident. It was taken in charge by Deputy Coroner M. T. Crowley and conveyed to the mortuary of Correl and Crowley, where funeral arrangements will be made.

Young Molts lived with his elder half brother Joseph Moltz, at 107 Lucila avenue Both were employed at the new filtration plant of the Charleroi Water company and were at work on the Sunday shift. When they quit work at 5 o'clock both went to the river below second street to take a bath The young man was in but a short time when he ventured into deep water and sank. His brother was unable to rescue him and gave the alarm Quite a crowd soon collected, and many entered the water and began diving in search of the body.

Finally the services of John J. Gilmore were secured, and being an expert swimmer and diver, he located the body within ten minutes after he entered the water It was brought up and taken at once to the undertaking establishment As it seems to be a clear case of accidental drowning it is not likely that an inquest will be held.

CROWDS ATTEND CAMPMEETING

Many Who Could Not Get Conveyance Walked to and From Ground

Yesterday was the first Sunday of campmeeting at Bentleyville, and the day being an unusually good one the camp ground was thronged for all the meetings Many Charleroi people went out to spend the day, and all manner of vehicles were called into service for transportation. Automobilists were greatly in evidence and excursion parties were run from Charleroi and other places along the valley to the camp ground. From Charleroi many persons who could not get a horse and rig, or could not secure automobile transportation walked. The Pennsylania railroad is running excursions on Sundays to Bentleyville.

Next Sunday will be the big day at camp and record breaking attendance is anticipated. Many Charleroi people have engaged far in advance rigs for that date, while others are contemplating making the trip by train. The campmeeting this year is said to better than usual. Good speaking and good music are features.

Mr. Hudspith and son George spent Sunday in McKeesport.

Champion "Hot Dog" Seller is Bob Vetter

Genial Clothing Men Realizes $23.50 at Lutheran Carnival Saturday Evening

The Lutheran Block Carnival, which has been an annual event for two years past, came to a successful conclusion Saturday evening, after a three day's session on Washington avenue, between Fifth and Sixth streets. All the booths and stands realized well, the banner receipts perhaps being from the "wiener" standwich stand, where Robert Vetter took in Saturday evening $23.50 The queen and princess carnival contest resulted as follows Queen—Mrs Worthington 2,273 vote, Mrs Coulter, 1,180 vote. The prizes were a handsome rocking chair and stand Princess—Miss McConnell, 2,283 vote, Miss Dorbitz, 1,191 vote. The prizes were a handsome ring and brooch

EAGLES EXPECT TO BEAT ELKS

"Honey" Wagner Thinks Lineup This Year Will Retrieve Itself

ELKS ARE ALSO CONFIDENT

Much interest centers in the forthcoming benefit baseball game between the Elks and the Eagles tomorrow afternoon. As previously stated this is for the benefit of the Monessen-Charleroi hospital and as a large number of tickets have already been sold indications point to a large turnout.

That the spectators will be treated to an interesting game is foretold by the lineup. As the Elks were victorious last year Manager Henry Wagner of the Eagles has been paying special attention to his team which he feels confident will be able to give a good account of itself. His lineup is as follows- Frank Hall, shortstop: J Underwood, first base, Pete Naylor, third base, Henry Bentz, second base; Jack Hudspith, catcher, Frank Kline, centerfield, Sherm McFeeley, left Al Bertche, right. Henry Wagner, pitcher, George Newton, A. H. Furlong, and Frank McCaffrey utility men

The Elks' lineup, includes, Kerfoot Daly, Pierce Ferguson, catcher D. M McCloskey, manager S C. Todd pitcher, John Jenkins, Chas. Bateman, J. K. Rickey, J. W Mathias, Tom Hastings, Robt Vetter, Robert McGowan, Thos. Eagye, Eli Williams, Bruce Barnett, George Barnett, and Louis Mitchell.

Preceded by a band and auto parade, the game will be called at 5:30 p m. Col. A. P. Stewart, who so successfully umpired the game last year with the aid of two Colt's navy revolvers, will again officiate. He is of the opinion that the players are tame enough to go through the game this year without calling the arsenal into play.

Three Boys Take Horse And Buggy for Joy Ride

Wanted to Go to Bentleyville Campmeeting, So Borrowed Neighbor's Outfit Without Asking Leave

Desiring to attend the Bentleyville campmeeting yesterday and having no conveyance of their own, three lads, whose ages range from eight to ten years, proceeded to hypothecate a horse and buggy, for the purpose. The stable of James Frew, the Fallowfield avenue furniture dealer, seemed to afford the first opportunity and accordingly a rig was pressed into requisition.

Harnessing Mr. Frew's horse to the buggy, the three boys drove to and from Bentleyville a couple of times and took a general outing. Mr. Frew was finally apprised of the transaction and set out to recover his conveyance. It was dark when the trio drove into town for the last time, and even then they omitted to make a tour of the town before ending their outing They were flagged on Lincoln avenue and the conveyance taken from them and returned. Considering the youthfulness of the offenders Mr. Frew let them off with some fatherly aovice and a strict admonition not to repeat the offense

USE SPLASH BOARDS KEEP BOATING STAGE IN RIVERS

Much Coal in Pittsburg Harbor Awaiting a Rise ---Improvements in Progress at Various Locks and Dams

Notwithstanding the low water and dry weather much coal is being mined and shipped from the local mines. A good nine foot boating stage of water has been maintained in the pools by reason of splash boards and adjustable dams which are usually resorted to this time of the year. The same can be said of the six pools in the upper Ohio, reaching from Beaver to Pittsburg. It is here that from six to ten million bushels of coal is being safely harbored, many of the larger coal packets being already hitched to their large tows awaiting a raise, being all ready to go on short notice. There still appears to be sufficient empty craft to keep the mines in operation for some time, yet the local docks are kept quite busy repairing and pulling them in order for rebuilding.

For some time past the boiler at Lock No. 4 has been out of commission, necessitating the operating of some portions of the machinery by hand. The United States Steamer Slackwate arrived in port last week and by Saturday evening a much larger and better boiler was installed and at present everything is moving along in usual order.

The Slackwater recently made a cruise up the Allegheny river as far as Springdale, where new splash-boards were placed on Dam No. 3 increasing the depth of water about 20 inches, which greatly facilitated the movements of the boats engaged in the sand and gravel industry in that section. Capt Nutt on the return trip brought into port at North Charleroi a barge of machinery and shafting formerly in use at Lock No. 1. The two large steel gates used in the large Lock No. 1 were taken down in sections and removed by the crew of the Slackwater. This was considered quite a task, inasmuch as the rivets and all bolts has to be cut out by hand and the large sections of steel was removed piecemeal.

A new scraper boat has just been finished at the U. S. Government boat yards at North Charleroi and is ready to launch. A new and untodate pumping boat is now in course of construction also, and will be ready to let into the river soon This boat will be fitted up with large and improved pumps of various sizes and dimensions and will be put into commission at some one of the new locks being built probably on the Ohio river.

The Steamer Swan with the Dredge boat No. 1 has been engaged for the past week removing the old dam at Lock No. 5 above Brownsville Already a navigable pass has been cut through the old dam sufficient to allow boats to pass in safety. Labor on the entire dam and the old lock will be removed. The new lock at Browsville which was put in commission only a short time has proven all the contractors and U. S. Government expected. It is a success in every way. The motor power is compressed air generated by large turbine water wheels, a new innovation on the local river and one that bids fair to become adopted in the future. The gates and machinery all work good it requires but eight minutes to make a locking with a boat and full cargo Many of the coal towing packets on the local waters are being repaired and generally put in good condition during the slack times. Owners and shippers anticipate a heavy coal shipping season the coming fall and winter, many heavy orders being booked for shipment.

The work on the second new lock at Lock No 1, Pittsburg, is progressing very rapidly, the old structure is about all removed, cofferdams about all in and it is confidentally expected that much of the new work will be finished before cold weather sets in Work is being pushed night and day with two shifts of laborers, steamboats derricks and dredges.

IT'S GEN ANDERSON NOW, IF YOU PLEASE

A. H. Anderson, Esq. of Finleyville, Republican candidate for Senator of the Washington-Green district, was elected commander in-chief of the National Society, Army of the Philippines, at its eleventh annual convention in Chicago Saturday. Mr. Anderson served with the "Fighting Tenth" in the Philipoines during the Spanish American and Philippice wars as a private soldier.

Drowned at Coal Bluff

A foreigner by the name of Morse was drowned at Coal Bluff yesterday by being capsized from a skiff on the river. He ventured too close to a passing towboat and the waves swamped his craft. Not being able to swim be sank at once. His body was recovered shortly afterward and taken to Monongahela, where it was prepared for burial.

C. E. Higging of Charleroi was in Claysville visiting friends and relatives.

COLORED PEOPLE MAKE MERRY AT PARK

Lodge No 479 of the Household of Ruth, the Monongahela auxiliary of the Grand United Order of Odd Fellows, is holding an annual outing at Eldora Park today. A large crowd is in attendance, where dancing and other amusements are whiling the time away pleasantly The committee in charge is composed of Irene Lee, S. B. Batch, Sarah Thornton, J. G. Lee and Capt. Wm. Catlin.

Mrs. Mary Zancio

Mrs. Mary Zancio, 26 years old, died at her home at 1000 Mckean avenue yesterday evening of typhoid fever. The funeral services have not yet been arranged.

Picnic at Cascade Park

The business men and citizens of Fayette City will take an outing to Cascade Park Wednesday. A special train will be chartered over the P. and L. E. railroad.

ITALIAN REFUSED DRINK STABS ONE SHOOTS TWO

Free for All Fight at Bentleyville May Result in Murder

ASSAILANT BADLY MAULED

Man Stabbed is Critical, But Others Not So Serious

Because he refused to give Lombardo Forunato, an Italian, a drink of whiskey last night Joe Master, a boarding house boss who lives in the McCorwick No 2 adcition at Bentleyville, is at the Memorial hospital at Monongahela in a critical condition having been stabbed in the abdomen in a general fight that followed. In the melee two other men were shot and but seriously wounded by Fortunato while the latter sustained a broke[n] besides numerous other bruises [illegible] he was overpowered and ca[illegible] The two men who were [illegible] were Joe Marsky, a miner, shot in the hip, and Adam Percosky, also a miner, shot in the arm

The affair was started when Fortunato who has never before been seen round the section, came to the house of Joe Masters, where a christening was going on and asked for a drink of whiskey. Masters refused him saying that he didn't sell whiskey and that they were just having a christening and at the time were dancing. The Italian told Masters that if he didn't give him a drink of whiskey, he would kill him. Masters again refused and the Italian drew out a long dirk knife and stabbed Masters in the abdomen.

Hearing his scream, Joe Marsky, one of the dancers, hurried to Masters' rescue. The Italian had thrown away the knife and drew out a revolver and shot Marsky in the hip and also hit Adam Percosky, who was dancing past the door. Five shots were fired.

The entire party attending the christening rushed out and commenced to beat the foreigner who was roughly handled Constable Samuel Cox was notified of the affair and arrested the four men. They were taken to Monongahela on a special train and admitted to the Memorial hospital.

Fortunato, who also is known by the alias of Fred Landis, after his wounds were dressed, was committed to jail at Washington today. The two men who were shot are not seriously injured, but Masters, is in a critical condition and may die.

Notice

Boys Brigade will meet Tuesday evening at Tennis Court at 7 o'clock. Important. R. Dale Jolliffe.

Wanted

Lady bookkeeper. Apply Peoples Store, 536 Fallowfield avenue, Charleroi, Pa. 5t2

Miss Hazel Caster has gone to Pittsburg to spend some time in the wholesale millinery store after which she expects to be associated with Mrs. Dawson's millinery store of Fallowfield avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Reichblum and family of Wheeling are visiting at the home of Louis Collins of Washington avenue.

Dr. and Mrs H. H. Hill left today for a brief visit to Jeannette and Sharon.

Commissioners Say Five Precincts

Board Appointed by Court Recommends More Voting Places for Donora

Tom P. Sloan and Theodore J Allen of Charleroi and J V. Cooper, of Fallowfield township, commissioners to investigate the matter of redivision of Donora voting precincts have prepared their report and will present it to the court at Washington today

They recommend that Donora be redivided into five precincts There were two meetings of the commissioners at which time testimony was taken from Donora citizens who had petitioned for the change to be made. Five precincts were not asked for but the commissioners after thorough investigation during which they made trips over all parts of the town considered that four, the number petitioned for was not enough.

WARD, BANK WERCKER, IS CAPTURED

Detectives Shadow His Wife and Locate Him At Asbury Park

FORFECTED $5,000 BAIL

Frederick W. Ward, of Pittsburg, who was convicted at Washington last August for conspiracy to defraud the Coal Centre Bank of $65,000, and who forfeited a bail bond of $5,000, was arrested at Asbury Park Sunday, having been located by Detective Leslie of a private agency, after a search of ten days.

Detective Walsh of the Washington police force, has been shadowing Ward's wife, who was found at the Hotel Maryland. Sunday as the couple were about to leave the hotel, her husband was made their prisoner.

Ward, along with Clifford H Drum, of Coal Centre, was convicted last fall of conspiracy to defraud the Bank of Coal Centre, of which Drum was cashier. After the trial, it was agreed that sentence would be suspended on both Drum and Ward, if they would pay up the amounts of which they had defrauded the bank Drum made good and Ward skipped. His bondsman is Samuel G. Walker of Centerville, who is at present very sick at his home.

County Detective William McCleary will bring the prisoner back.

Property Bargain

Will sell my place at 227 McKean avenue consisting of 6 large rooms and bath, front porch, cellar, stable and all conveniences at less than cost to me. Bringing in now $13 00 rental per month besides my living there, which pays your water, taxes gas and insurance and still leaves you a handsome balance. Reason, my business taking me out of town. Call at once. Easy terms. J. L. Taylor. 299tf

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Aug. 15 In American History.

1814—Battle of Fort Erie, Canada. The American garrison under General E. P. Gaines repulsed a heavy attack by the British.

1824—Marquis de Lafayette landed in New York and began his wonderful tour as the guest of the nation.

1858—First Atlantic cable message.

1895—General John D. Imboden, famous Confederate cavalryman, died at Abingdon, Va.; born 1821.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow.)

Sun sets 6:54, rises 5:07; moon sets 12:25 a. m.; 5 p. m., planet Mercury at descending node, crossing sun's path southward. Halley's comet distant 221,850,000 miles.

Has Kept Faith

With the State campaign about to open the only issues that the Republican party can put forth are the party pledges of its platform, both State and National. These pledges for the most part relate to the economic well being of the whole people, and it is the thoroughness in which they are kept and put into effect that decides party supremacy. That a considerable element of the people are at all times dissatisfied with existing conditions is a foregone conclusion, and as our friends, the enemy, insist that they could have done better had they been in power, it is a question of fair and impartial judgment on the part of the people whether or not the Republican party has kept faith. We who believe in its principals believe that it has, and challenge our opponents to disprove the statement.

Endorsing to the fullest extent the party pledges of the National platform and President Taft's splendid administration, the Republican party of Pennsylvania has only to point to the latter's record as to the thoroughness of the manner in which party pledges have been kept. No Congress has fulfilled so unusually large a number of party pledges as the session just ended. Among these pledges may be enumerated the bills for creating postal savings banks for admitting Arizona and New Mexico as States and giving the Government stronger control over the railroads of the country. These bills were enacted under the spur of President Taft in an endeavor to keep faith with party pledges. In addition to these measures the last Congress made important changes in the land laws whereby the President has wider discretion in conserving the public domain for the benefit of the people. By this act alone President Taft has withdrawn millions of acres of public lands from the grasp of individual speculators, and is holding them for the use of future individual settlers and developers.

With issues like these, and the record of party faith well kept, the Republicans of Pennsylvania have nothing to fear at the election this fall. The only question at issue in the coming campaign is the matter of performing public service better than the party in power and the people feel that they do not care to risk the handicaps and confusion incident to a change.

Costly and Dangerous

In addition to endangering health and life besides inflicting all manner of physical discomfort the common housefly that is so great a pest at this particular season of the year, imposes a pecuniary tax upon the public that is no small consideration. The amount of money invested in screendoors and windows, and for their annual renewal, would go a long way toward liquidating the national debt and reducing the cost of living in general. This, with the amount annually expended for fly paper and other exterminators together with the energy of the average housewife in ridding her premises of the pest, would provide many luxuries that are now dispensed with.

The fly is the result of indifference to filth. Ninety-nine out of every hundred of the millions of flies that infest every household are born and bred in horse manure. Where this form of filth is not permitted to exist and accumulate, there are no flies to speak of. As a matter of course other forms of filth will breed flies but the community that banishes horse manure from under its noses will also do away with all other filth. England, by observing these precautions, has very nearly banished the housefly from its realm, and there are in this country summer resorts comparatively free from flies because they do not permit stables to exist in their midst. Not only is the fly a deadly menace to health, but it imposes a tax upon the public that is but more burdensome directly to individuals than the Payne Aldrich tariff over which the Washington Oberver is so solicitous. It's as easy to banish the fly as it is to keep cattle, hogs and sheep from running at large in this State.

A Matter of Record

Concerning the howl raised by the Washington Observer and Reporter over the alleged request for contributions from office holders at the county seat for campaign expenses this fall by the Republican county committee, the Washington Record has this to say:

The efforts of renegade newspapers to cause dissatisfaction among the men who are holding offices and appointments under the Republican party in this county are not being received with good grace by people who have had a little insight into the operations of the dead political machine, which, for the power of retorting money from candidates and office holders, was modeled after the plan of the inquisition.

There are three men holding office in the court house who during Acheson's management of the party, paid in one campaign assessment the aggregate sum of nine thousand dollars. Another man in the court house now holding an office so high and pure that it is not supposed to be tainted by the use of money other than the legitimate expenses of a campaign received a notice under the dead dynasty of a $2,000, assessent.

There were other political assessments of that period equally as unjust and unfair, and all the present office holders and men holding appointments who gladly contribute to the legitimate expenses of a campaign, are thankful that the old boss is now a political exile from the ranks of the Republican party, and that his old assessment machine has been dismantled and is now on the scrap heap.

It certainly is a correct and equitable proposition for the men holding office and appointed under a political party to make a fair and reasonable contribution to the expenses necessary to conduct its election, or to continue it in power for otherwise the candidates themselves, single-handed and alone, would be compelled to bear the entire expense of a successful campaign.

Some of these contributions under the Acheson regime are a matter of record. In the campaign of 1908, when the Fusionists gave Mr. Acheson a run for his money, the latter received and expended more from the national Republican campaign committee than he alleges is necessary to conduct a campaign in the district.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

First class mail matter has been defined as anything you are ashamed to have the postmaster or postmistress read and therefore, seal up. Also postal cards, where you're only allowed to argue on one side. If you think your letter should travel slowly invest 10 cents in a special delivery stamp. This will insure a nice leisurly journey, lasting from one to two days longer than by the cheap two-cent route.

They ca 't say Charleroi doesn't have any aeroplanes.—Charleoi Belgium.

Long life oftentimes depends on being well heeled.

The student of Greek will remember the story of Achilles, but others might not. He was a courageous Greek who did a general slaughtering business in Troy in 1180 B. C. but was finally pinked in the heel his only vulnerable spot and died.

Consolation

Somewhere the fish are biting,
Somewhere the water's fine,
Somewhere the summer boarders
Are wondering when they'll dine.
—Herald.

An exchange remarks that clothes do not make the man, but they sometimes allow an ass to masquerade as one.

If it costs a man $5,000 to dress in New York city, and he can't do a good job at that price, how much, do you suppose it would take him to dress correctly there.

The western exchange which speaks of "Bryan weather" is probably sarcastically compareing it to Pennsylvania weather, noted for its uncertainty.

We can't imagine why a little bit of praise should always make a fellow feel so unhappily embarrassed.

Hit Him Coming and Going.

An attorney went to a livery stable and hired a team for two or three hours and at the end of that time, in a state of absentmindedness, left the team at another livery stable, where it remained eight days. At stable No. 1 there was no worry about the team. They knew the attorney was perfectly good for the pay. They knew that if he kept the team a month the bill would be paid promptly on presentation. They presumed that he knew what he was about and concluded it was his business and not theirs. At stable No. 2 there was equal freedom from anxiety. The attorney came there, left the team and went away, saying nothing. They put the horse into a stall and "chalked it down" on the office slate, knowing him to be a business man who paid cash. Discovery came at last, and the lawyer was presented with two bills, one for eight days' hire and the other for eight days' keep. He paid both bills promptly, but it cured him of being absentminded for nearly a whole month.

The Coffee Cup in Persia.

The expression "to give a cup of coffee" has in Persia a somewhat ominous significance. This is due to the fact that the coffee cup is one recognized medium for conveying poison. Some years ago the governor of Aspadana, having long been at daggers drawn with the chief of a powerful mountain tribe, determined in this way to put an end to all trouble. He professed to entertain a great degree of friendship and esteem for the chieftain and invited him to visit him at his palace. The chief unsuspiciously came, accompanied by his two young sons. For a week they were royally entertained. But at last one morning when the chief came into his host's presence he was coldly received, and an attendant soon stepped forward with a single cup of coffee in his hand, which he offered to the guest. The latter could not fail to understand that he was doomed. Preferring, however, steel to poison, he declined the cup and was thereupon, at a signal from his host, stabbed to death.

The Exclusiveness of Caste.

An English officer who some years ago was wounded in a battle in India and left lying all night among the native dead and wounded tells this story: "Next morning we spied a man and an old woman, who came to us with a basket and a pot of water, and to every wounded man she gave a piece of joaree bread from the basket and a drink from her water pot. To us she gave the same, and I thanked heaven and her. But the Soobahdar was a high caste Rajput, and, as this woman was a Chumar, or of the lowest caste, he would receive neither water nor bread from her. I tried to persuade him to take it that he might live, but he said that in our state, with but a few hours more to linger, what was a little more or less suffering to us—why should he give up his fate for such an object? No; he preferred to die unpolluted."

Getting Down to Business.

Mistress (to new servant)—There are two things, Mary, about which I am very particular. They are truthfulness and obedience. Mary—Yes'm, and when you tell me to say you're not in when a person calls that you don't wish to see which is it to be, mum—truthfulness or obedience?

RACE WAGERS IN INDIA.

Native's Method of Choosing a Winner and Making Bets.

The native of India wagers his money according to the colors worn by the jockeys and takes no heed of the merits of the horses, or he will back a horse ridden by his favorite jockey, no matter whether the animal is a rank outsider or not.

His ideas of gambling, in fact, are distinctly novel. Some of the more wealthy Indians form rings and back every horse in the race, thus gaining the satisfaction of getting a winner every time. It is really only of late years that the native of India has become a habitual gambler on the turf and nowadays the bulk of the betting of the various racing centers in India is done by natives. Indeed, the authorities are somewhat concerned about the growth of the betting which takes place among Indian natives, it being asserted that as many as thirty lacs of rupees (about £200,000) is lost and won in the course of a season.

The ignorant masses have not a great deal of actual money to wager, but so badly bitten are many of them with the craze for betting at race meetings that they frequently wager what all property they possess on a horse, and if they lose they simply replace their loss by stealing a neighbor's goods. The consequence is that when the racing season comes around the police are kept very busy dealing with cases of petty larceny and other crimes involving loss of property.—London Tit-Bits.

BILL LANGE'S FEAT.

One of the Famous Old Outfielder's Sensational Catches.

The greatest individual feat ever performed was one by which Bill Lange saved a game for Chicago and $200 for himself in Washington in 1895. There is an odd story connected with the play. Lange had missed a train in Boston two days before, failed to reach New York in time to play there, and Anson had fined him $100. Thereupon he missed a train to Washington—arrived on the grounds after the teams had practiced and just in time to play, and for that Anson fined him another $100. The game that afternoon went eleven innings, Chicago scoring one run in the eleventh. There were two men out and a runner on the bases when "Kip" Selbach, then one of the hardest hitters in the business, smote the ball a terrific blow and sent it flying over Lange's head toward the center field fence. The ball seemed a sure home run, but Lange, a man weighing 225 pounds, turned and without looking sprinted desperately straight out toward the fence, racing with the flying ball. At the last instant, as the ball was going over his head, Lange leaped, struck up both hands, turned a somersault and crashed against the fence. The boards splintered, one entire panel crashed outward, and out of the wreckage crawled Lange holding the ball in his hand and the crowd went mad. Lange came limping in, with the crowd standing on seats shouting, and he said to Anson: "Fines go, cap?" "Nope," said Anson, and the catch had saved the big fielder $200.—Hugh S. Fullerton in American Magazine.

Why the Wind Waits.

In his book on "The Picturesque St. Lawrence" Clifton Johnson tells of the curious superstition of Montreal which explains why the wind is always blowing at the point where St. Sulpice and Notre Dame streets meet, close by the towering cathedral.

It seems that one day, while the church was in process of building, the Wind and the Devil were walking down Notre Dame street, and the Devil after regarding with a frown of disapproval the graceful outlines of the new edifice rising before him exclaimed:

"What is this? I never saw it before."

"Very likely not," responded the Wind, "and I dare you to go in there."

"You dare me to do that, do you?" cried the Devil, with a sneer. "Well, I will go in if you will promise to wait here until I come out."

"Agreed," said the Wind.

So his satanic majesty went in. But he has not come out yet, and the Wind is still waiting for him at the corner.

The Spirit of Liberty.

It was in the town that modern democracy had its rise. Despite all the efforts of the kings and barons to prevent it, the spirit of liberty began to assert itself in the larger towns in the shape of the charters which guarantee to the people certain commercial and political rights—rights which, once obtained, were never to be surrendered. Before the middle of the eleventh century there were many of these "chartered" towns which possessed the right of electing their own magistrates, sheriffs and judges and regulating their own taxes. The wretched serfs from the country were welcomed by the townspeople and aided to larger freedom. These free towns were first known in Spain, from which country they slowly spread over Europe. The burgesses naturally offered protection and freedom to all who would flee to them from the feudal estates, and thus slowly, but surely, the good work went on until the ancient despotisms were destroyed.—Arena.

True Happiness.

About the happiest man in the world should be he that, having a fad, is able to make a living at it.—Chicago Record-Herald.

The arrow that pierces the eagle's breast is often made of his own feathers.

HOW THE FUNDS WERE EXAMINED

Fourth of July Committee Gives Statement of Facts and Figures

In order that the public may know just who contributed and how the money was spent, the committee of the Fourth of July celebration submits the following statement of receipts and expenditures:

RECEIPTS.

Grocery Dealers.

J. E. Masters	$10.00
Charles Wallgren	5.00
John Guggia	5.00
Orchard Tea Company	5.00
P. J. Depree	2.50
Thomas Arrigo	2.50
Heffner & Vandermeulo	2.50
John Varko	2.50
C. Hilt	2.50
Gotfield Brothers	5.00
Louis Bultez	2.50
T. F. Lindsay	2.50
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City Grocery	2.50
Frank McClure	2.50
Umbel Brothers	5.00
S. T. Franks	2.50
Mary Nicholl	2.50
Maravek Brothers	5.00
Monack Brothers	5.00
M. Goldstine	5.00
M. Meranti	2.00
Philip Panora	2.00
P. Pardina	2.50
	$85.00

Clothing and Dry Goods Dealers.

Jacob Swartz	$ 5.00
J. Collins	5.00
A. Haas	5.00
Legene Fac	5.00
People's Credit Company	5.00
M. Melsher	5.00
L. E. Beckworth	5.00
George Vetter	5.00
Oppenheim Brothers	5.00
Leslie Campbell Company	5.00
H. Teitelbaum	5.00
Greenberg Brothers	5.00
Murdock & McCarty	5.00
L. Rosenbloom	5.00
B. Krakover	5.00
Frank Riva	5.00
J. D. Snitzer & Co.	2.50
J. W. Berryman & Son	10.00
Kirk & Clark	10.00
	$102.50

Banks.

Bank of Charleroi	$ 20.00
Charleroi Savings & Trust Co.	20.00
First National Bank	20.00
	$60.00

Hotels and Brewery.

W. H. Coles	$ 50.00
George L. West	50.00
W. R. Gaut	50.00
A. W. Day	50.00
George F. Rylands	50.00
W. J. Zeibers, Sr.	50.00
George Myford	27.00
Charleroi Brewing Company	50.00
	$377.00

Livery Men.

S. K. Leonard	$ 5.00
Roley Livery	5.00
D. E. Kimmell	5.00
	$ 15.00

Furniture Dealers.

J. Frew	$ 5.00
Joseph Lichter	5.00
W. B. Fleckhardt	5.00
S. L. Woodward	5.00
	$ 20.00

Hardware Dealers.

T. P. Grant	$ 5.00
D. K. Duvall	5.00
J. H. Bowers	5.00
	$ 15.00

Plumbing Shops.

J. M. Fleming	$ 5.00
Regan & Hormell	5.00
Victor Adams	2.50
	$ 12.50

Drug Stores.

Cary Piper	$ 10.00
C. W. Weltner	10.00
William F. Hennings	10.00
Carrol's Drug Store	5.00
	$ 35.00

Shoe Dealers.

Adolph Bregel	$ 5.00
Louis Beigel	5.00
C. W. Newcomer	5.00
J. J. Beerens	5.00
	$ 20.00

Ice Cream and Confectionery.

U. S. Orange	$ 10.00
George Polites	10.00
P. Callistri	5.00
Joe Caruso	5.00
George Wagner	15.00
West Corey	1.00
Mrs. Mazzola	2.00
Paul Ternavsky	2.50
George Popsos	1.00
	$ 51.50

Real Estate Dealers.

John C. McKean	$ 5.00
M. J. Tylarsky	5.00
J. A. Hepler	5.00
Charles R. Trew	5.00
Charles O. Frye	5.00
George W. Risbeck	5.00
Charleroi Real Estate Agt.	5.00
T. D. Williamson	5.00
L. P. Flickinger	5.00
People's Real Estate Agency	5.00
	$ 50.00

Jewelry Dealers.

J. W. McKean	$ 5.00
John W. Schafer	5.00
Thomas Tomlinson	2.50
M. Goldsmith	2.50
	$ 15.00

Millinery.

Mrs. Dawson	$ 5.00
Stewart Millinery	5.00
Maude Spidell	5.00
William Evans	5.00
	$ 20.00

Undertakers.

I. O. Wycoff	$ 5.00
Carrell & Crowley	5.00
Reeves & Reeves	5.00
	$ 15.00

Meat Markets.

Dunlap Meat Market	$ 5.00
John Sonnenlutter	2.50
Johnson Meat Market	5.00
J. C. Lowstutter	5.00
Charles Schmeiler	5.00
Chachko & Jacobs	5.00
	$ 27.50

Restaurants.

Carroll's Restaurant	$ 5.00
W. H. Saxon	10.00
J. Robinson	5.00
Casino Restaurant	10.00
William McPeck	7.00
	$ 37.00

Miscellaneous.

Robertson Brothers	$ 5.00
Charleroi Laundry	5.00
John Kuth	2.00
Mountser & Potter	10.00
Harper Brothers	5.00
Greenberg Gas Company	5.00
Charleroi Foundry & Machine Co.	5.00
Charleroi Iron Works	5.00
J. W. Mathias	2.50
John Jenkins	2.50
Conrad Deivaux	2.50
Leon Depose	2.50
Valley Crystal Ice Company	5.00
John Majors	5.00
Atlantic & Pacific Tea Company	2.50
H. J. Booth	10.00
Moose Club	5.00
Turn Verein	5.00
Elk's Club	5.00
Eagle Club	5.00
Cudahy Packing Company	5.00
O. B. Clutter	5.00
Jobes Brothers	2.50
George S. Might	10.00
[illegible] Manufacturing Co.	2.50
Singer Sewing Machine Co.	5.00
Joseph Haube	2.50
D. N. Hall	5.00
Joseph Truss	2.50
Woolworth & Co.	5.00
W. H. Calvert	15.00
J. C. Martiner	5.00
Fred Freeman	2.50
Collins Wall Paper Co.	2.50
G. T. Barger	2.50
Charleroi Water Company	5.00
R. O. Vetter	5.00
A. H. Furlong	5.00
Pittsburg Railway Co.	25.00
West Side Railway Co.	25.00
S. Friedman	5.00
F. L. Daly	5.00
John Munch	2.50
J. W. Pepper	2.50
P. Murelli	.50
Charleroi Lumber Co.	10.00
Walton Lumber Co.	10.00
A. B. Spencer	10.00
Charleroi Auto Garage	5.00
	$253.00

Pool Rooms.

George Bailey	$ 5.00
Ray's Pool Room	5.00
Charley Umbel	5.00
H. L. Smokey	5.00
W. C. Phillips	5.00
	$25.00

Summary.

Grocery Dealers	$ 85.00
Clothing & Dry Goods Dealers	102.50
Banks	60.00
Hotels and Brewery	375.00
Livery Men	20.00
Hardware Dealers	15.00
Plumbing Shops	12.50
Drug Stores	35.00
Shoe Dealers	20.00
Ice Cream & Confectionery	51.50
Real Estate Dealers	50.00
Jewelry Dealers	15.00
Millinery	20.00
Undertakers	15.00
Meat Markets	27.50
Restaurants	37.00
Pool Rooms	25.00
Miscellaneous	251.00
Total amount collected	$1264.00

EXPENDITURES.

Geo. Ewing—Electing speaker's stand	$ 12.65
E. L. Price—Distributing bills	25.00
Jos. Mitchell—Speaker	150.00
Prof. Franks—Bull wrestler	35.00
J. J. Hott—Foot race, prize	50.00
R. W. Hall—John A. Wood Band	105.00
R. H. Rush—Extra to J. A. Wood Bd	15.00
Prof. Rickard—Novelty Band	50.00
James Monack—Italian Band	75.00
F. G. Sivers—Decorating Streets	150.00
Stock & Wertz—Printing	48.25
S. E. Heisley—Fireworks	200.00
Joseph T. S. Cowen—Advertising	15.75
Mail Publishing Co.—Advertising	51.70
Louis Gozzieu—Advertising	3.60
Friday Evening Call—Advertising	3.00
Donora American—Advertising	9.00
Sentinel Pub. Co.—Advertising	14.40
Clipper Monitor—Advertising	9.60
Monongahela Times—Advertising	19.20
L. M. Truxal—Advertising	10.00
Monessen News—Advertising	21.00
Fayette City Journal—Advertising	14.00
Record Company—Advertising	17.00
Donora News—Advertising	6.00
Charleroi Lumber Co.—Lumber	11.75
Walton Lumber Co.—Lumber	12.35
John Hajos—Printing & Posting	4.90
Berryman & Son—Merchandise	22.99
Prof. J. G. Penz—Printing & Postage	5.50
W. H. Coles—Six (6) meals	3.00
John Seigfeld—One (1) cab	6.00
Frank Reboni—One (1) cab	6.00
J. J. Hott—Sundry Expense	37.50
George W. Risbeck—Postal Cards and Postage	4.50
Printing Stationery	5.00
Balance in hands of Treasurer	[illegible]
Total	$1264.00

Respectfully submitted,
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Fashions in Borneo.

According to the rules of Borneoan fashion it is deemed necessary to mold one's limbs into a more shapely form than that bestowed by nature. This is done really effectively by winding strong brass wire round the ankles, the wrists, under the knees and above the elbows of children. Growth at these points is, in consequence, greatly hampered, with the result that the limbs come to be deformed or, according to Dyak ideas, brought into proper shape. The headdress consists of a curious headwork cap, and around his neck a bridegroom to be wears bangles of plaited fiber and strings of cowrie shells. These shells, by the way, as in other parts of the world, are used as currency. A yard of fiber or twenty to thirty cowrie shells represent the value of a penny. The white armlets are made of another species of shells.—Wide World Magazine.

What a Toad Enjoys.

There are few things more amusing than to watch a toad submitting to the operations of a back scratching. He will at first look somewhat suspiciously at the twig which you are advancing toward him, but after two or three passes down his back his manner undergoes a marked change, his eyes close with an expression of infinite rapture, he plants his feet wider apart, and his body swells out to nearly double its ordinary size, as if to obtain by these means more room for enjoyment. Thus he will remain until you make some sudden movement which startles him or until he has had as much petting as he wants, when, with a puff of regretful delight, he will reduce himself to his usual dimensions and hop away, bent once more on the pleasures of the chase.

In Hearing.

They stood upon the crest of the mountain and gazed off through the purple distances.

"Darling," he whispered, bending closer, "give me a kiss—just one!"

"No, Clarence," she answered timidly; "some one will hear us. There may be other ears around."

"Other ears! Why should you think so, dearest?"

"Oh, because I have so often heard of mountaineers I thought perhaps there might be some around, and"—

But just then there was a mighty crash. A mountain goat had heard the awful pun and jumped over the cliff.—London Tatler.

An Impossible Man.

"Why did you marry me?"

"Because I thought you were different from other men."

"And now you want a divorce because you were mistaken?"

"No; because I was right."—Cleveland Leader.

$1.11

Men's, women's, boys' & girls' shoes

High Shoes, Low Shoes,

Pumps, Ties and Slippers

A sale that is really bordering on the phenomenal---the whole store is astir with the enthusiasm that is keeping August a busy month. It is making hundreds of new friendships and cementing old friendships still more closely. The sound merits of the offerings are as much their sterling character as in the very low prices. We are offering only what is worthy of the store and its customers.

$1.11

We are going to make this week the biggest week of this big sale, by adding many of the best values reserved for the end of this big sale

A score of the best known shoe manufacturers are finding an outlet for their surplus stocks through this $1.11 sale. You'll see on the soles of these shoes the names of nationally known makers and the $3 and $4 price at which these shoes were made to sell.

Choose from patent colt, gunmetal kid, brown kid, tan calf, suede, gravenette, velvet, enamel, russet calf and colored kid. Every kind of sole from the lightest hand turned to the sturdy extension effects for street.

Misses' and Children's Shoes and Oxfords, we have in all leathers and all sizes. Time is here for you to save money. Our low prices make it easy for mothers to do so.

Remember the varieties are extensive, quantities ample, qualities excelling, and the price--1.11--speaks for itself. The closing bell finds the crowds still coming, pressing eagerly in to get the big values.

"IT'S ADOLPH OF COURSE"

Sample Shoe Store

502 Fallowfield Avenue, Charleroi, Pa.

CHARLEROI BUSINESS MEN'S PICNIC

Eldora Park

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 17th, 1910

Stores Will be Closed All Day

GRAND FREE BARBECUE

A Whole Roasted Ox for the use of our Guests,
Cooked by Experts. Roast Ox, Bread,
Coffee and Pickles

SERVED FREE AT NOON

INTERESTING PROGRAM of SPORTS

Commencing at 1:30 P. M.

Dancing and Other Amusements

Special Street Car Facilities

Everybody Welcome

PATTI'S EARNINGS.

The Famous Prima Donna a Fine Business Woman.

Adelina Patti [illegible] the financial timidity of a Jenny Lind. Not only was she supreme vocally, but, as Colonel Mapleson remarked, "No one ever approached her in the art of obtaining from a manager the greatest possible sum he could by any possibility contrive to pay." But the musical miracle was the spoiled darling of her day, and she never failed to obtain exactly what she wanted. She was first engaged in London, in 1861, by Mapleson, to sing four nights "on approval" and, in case of success, to obtain £40 a week. This contract was not fulfilled, however, for, being hard pressed financially, she had borrowed £50 from a rival manager, and her receipt proved practically a contract.

This was the beginning of a career so dazzling that its successive steps are simply a series of increasing bank-notes. In 1872 she obtained in London 200 guineas a night, since she insisted on having more than Christine Nilsson, who was receiving £200. She sang twice a week. Ten years later she was given $5,000 a night. Her famous contract to sing in America provided that the money should be paid to her at 2 o'clock on the day she sang; also a drawing room and sleeping car to be especially built for her, with conservatory, fernery, etc. Further, there was to be deposited to her credit $50,000 for payment of the last ten performances—Patti's favorite device. She thus received about twenty times what Mario and Grisi got.

Her private car, incidentally, cost $60,000 and contained a silver bath and gold keys to the doors, to say nothing of a $2,000 piano. Patti gave to the manager only her voice and her costumes. Her drawing capacity justified this. "Lucia," as an example was sung to an average of $14,000. "Traviata" drew more, since she sang more notes. It was a frequent occurrence among the poorer music lovers to buy a club ticket and each take turns at hearing her for twenty minutes. If one overstayed his time he paid for the entire ticket. Some mathematicians computed by dividing the number of notes sung into the sum paid that in "Semiramide" Patti received 42¾ cents for each note. This was found to be just 7 1-10 cents per note more than Rossini got for writing the whole opera.

Biblical Instruction.

"What does exegesis mean, father?"

"I can never remember long what it does mean. It is something theological—probably a combination of Exodus and Genesis, about like Deuteronomy."—Life.

Ordinance No. 48.

Prescribing the materials to be used in sidewalks and regulating the laying of the same and the width and thickness thereof on Lincoln avenue and Fourth street.

Section 1: Be it enacted by the burgess and town council of the Borough of North Charleroi, in the County of Washington and State of Pennsylvania, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, that from and after the approval of this ordinance, all sidewalks or footways laid within the streets of this borough shall be laid upon the streets hereinafter designated in the manner hereinafter prescribed and shall be located and constructed under the direction of the street committee of the Council, which is improved under Ordinance No. 48.

Section 2: That on Lincoln avenue and Fourth street in said borough of North Charleroi, sidewalks shall be constructed of sawed stone not less than two inches in thickness laid upon the foundation or bed of cinders, not less than six inches in depth or concrete laid upon a foundation or bed of cinders not less than 14 inches in depth, and said sidewalks shall be not less than five feet in width.

Section 3: That when any sidewalk or footway within the limits of the Borough upon the streets designated shall be in such condition that the necessary repairs thereto, will in the judgment of the Town Council amount to a relaying thereof, it shall be considered as coming within the provisions of this ordinance, and such sidewalks shall be ordained or relaid in accordance with the provisions hereof.

Section 4. That in case any property owner shall violate the provisions of this ordinance by laying or relaying, or causing to be laid or relaid, a sidewalk which is not in accordance with the provisions hereof, then written notice of this ordinance with copy thereof, shall be given to such property owner, his or her agent or attorney, to relay said sidewalk in accordance with the requirements of this ordinance and if after ten days from the date of the serving of said notice, the said sidewalk be not relaid in accordance with the provisions hereof, the street committee shall cause such sidewalk to be relaid in accordance with the requirements of this ordinance, and the cost of the work and the materials of such relaying with twenty (20) per centum advance thereon shall be collected from the defaulting lot owner as provided by the second section of the Act of Assembly of of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania entitled "An Act regulating boroughs."

Section 5: That all other ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith or supplied hereby be and the same are hereby repealed.

Enacted into an ordinance this 8th day of August, 1910.

Herman Nebeling,
President of Council.
Per Tem

Attest:—
J. W. Hagerty,
Clerk of Council.

Examined and approved by me this 8th day of August 1910.

David Shafer,
Acting Burgess.

A HOT TIME

You are familiar with the "sweet refrain"

are you not?

You know also that the weather is hot.

do you not?

But do you know that the

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is hotter after your banking business than all out door—than all the rag-time "hot-times" ever composed or written—than all the burning, seathing chunks of real hot Sapho that ought not to have been composed or written.

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THE MYSTERY OF MARS.

Id but Unsolved Problem, Is There Animal Life on the Planet?

With a planet so old as Mars and so ir along in the process of life exnction the conditions of life would be evere, and only a highly intellectual ad scientifically developed race could ndure and master them. The engineering skill and constructive capacity o control the annual floods from the oles, store the waters and build the housands of miles of huge canals ould require scientific knowledge beond that possessed by us at the presnt time and financial resources in exess of those we have yet accumulated. The nation that finds the digging f a little ditch at Panama so great a sk would be helpless in the face of uch a problem as these thousands of iles of Martian canals, if, indeed, canals they be. Yet, in view of the reater life age of Mars, such higher ntelligence would be natural in the egular process of development, asuming that it has ever been the abode f intellectual life.

Scientists are in the main in a receptive state on this subject. They re not ready to admit that the existnce of life on that planet has been roved. They do not deny it, but call or greater proof than a plausible theory. Among others than scientists here is in the main a disposition not o accept the Martian human life heory or the theory of life on any of he thousands of spheres that wheel nd glisten in illimitable space. They eem to think that such a theory conicts with religion and dwarfs man nd his importance in the scheme of reation.

This seems to be a very narrow view o take, since it appears to set bounds pon the infinite power and creative esires of the Almighty, whose great cheme of mortal and immortal life is ot necessarily confined to a single lanet or the few billions of human eings who are born and die upon it. s to dwarfing the importance of man, few billions more added to the billions on earth would make little difference. Man is at best a small and insignificant creature, but if all embracing wisdom, power and love takes solicitous note of him it would be limiting those infinite qualities to say that one planet must be his abiding place. Therefore the question of human intelligence on Mars or any other planet of the solar system or the other great systems in remote space should be purely and simply a scientific one, to be accepted as true only when proved, but not to be rejected through sentiment or for any other reason whatever except lack of proof.—St. Louis Sta

Soothing Sewing.

Few "nervy" women realize what a soothing effect sewing has on the nerves. When things go wrong in the home and numerous irritations gather in the mind, an hour's sewing is a wonderful comfort.

George Sand, one of the most neurotic women, was always loud in praise of the soothing effect of sewing a long seam, and every woman who has tried this simple remedy will contribute a similar testimony.

A Safety Holder.

The person who delights in a fountain pen, but is always in fear of the ink spilling out, now finds comfort in a safety holder. This is in nickel and in wood and costs very little.

It can be attached to any fountain pen and keeps it from spilling a drop of ink.

Lemon Juice Whitens Rice.

It is said that a dash of lemon juice added to the rice while boiling will not only whiten the kernels, but will add just a suggestion of the lemon flavor. This will be found to be a pleasant change.

Where Women May Not Pray.

In some parts of the world the women are not even allowed to pray. Certain Hindoo congregations deny their women this privilege, and among the Ainus women can pray only in very rare cases as the deputies of their husbands. The natives of Madagascar, however, stretch a point and permit their women to intercede with the powers of evil, but prayer to their supreme being is strictly a masculine prerogative.

BARGAIN HUNTING.

The Strenuous National Game of the American Women.

There is always something impressive about a crowd that is swayed by a single emotion. You get an impression of force, says Mary Heaton Vorse in Success Magazine. These women, who a few moments ago had been quiet shoppers, formed a mob. They swayed and pushed as though moved by a common impulse toward a table where were the embroideries. From their throats came a little dull growl, a curious noise—the whisper of a mob.

The noise of a mob in joy or in anger or in fright or just its restless murmur as it waits is different from any other noise that comes from the human throat—quite distinct, of a curious animal timber. I heard it once on the occasion of the throwing of a bomb, again from a crowd waiting for a bank to open and a third time in a theater when fire had been called, and now here it was in miniature from a couple of hundred women waiting to buy ten cent embroideries.

They were poor women with shawls and baskets, women with babies in their arms, women with threadbare clothes carefully brushed, who must think before spending each dime in the dollar, but for once indulging in the great sport of American women—bargain hunting.

Making Money Two Ways.

Our five cent pieces, of course, are merely tokens, deriving their purchasing power from the fiat of the treasury. The metal blanks for them cost only about 14 cents a hundred. When the expense of stamping the designs upon them is added they come to something like $3,510 a million—that is to say, for this amount the government produces $50,000 worth of nickels, making a clear profit of $46,490 on the transaction.—Saturday Evening Post.

Not Surprised.

Real Estate Agent—I tell you, sir, the death rate in this suburb is lower than in any other part of the county.

Near Victim—I believe you. I wouldn't be found dead here myself.—Chicago Journal.

His Prayer.

A good old deacon in Connecticut was very pious and very fond of clams. When once upon a time he attended a Rhode Island clambake he overtaxed his capacity and was sorely distressed. But his faith in prayer was unabated. Leaving the party and going down on his knees behind a tree, he was heard to supplicate: "Forgive me, O Lord, this great sin of gluttony. Restore my health and I will never eat any more clams." Then after a judicious pause: "Very few, if any. Amen."

Why He Was Popular.

"How do you know your husband is not a good poker player?"

"Because," answered young Mrs. Torkins, "no good poker player could be so popular as he is with other poker players."—Washington Star.

Tuberculosis Often Develops From Pneumonia

Consumption readily attacks those who have had Pneumonia. Many sufferers from tuberculosis give a history of having had pneumonia. The lungs thus weakened are more easily attacked by the germs that cause consumption.

For all those with "weak lungs," especially those who have had pneumonia, Eckman's Alterative is the appropriate remedy. Cures of consumption are accomplished by Eckman's Alterative. But take it in time. There is no wisdom in waiting until Tuberculosis is established.

Health is never fully valued until sickness comes.

"I wish I had known of Eckman's Alterative two years ago. Since taking it I have gained twenty-eight pounds and I cannot but be very thankful to you and the Almighty God for the great blessing and change of health it has brought me."

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Eckman's Alterative is good for all Throat and Lung troubles, and is on sale in Charleroi by W. F. Hennings and other druggists. It can also be obtained at, or procured by, your local druggist.

Ask for Booklet of Cured Cases or write or evidence to the Eckman Laboratory, Phila., Pa.

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WOMEN OF MIDDLE AGE

Need Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Brookfield, Mo.—"Two years ago I was unable to do any kind of work and only weighed 118 pounds. My trouble dates back to the time that women may expect nature to bring on them the Change of Life. I got a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and it made me feel much better, and I have continued its use. I am very grateful to you for the good health I am now enjoying."—Mrs. SARAH LOUSIGNONT, 417 S. Livingston Street, Brookfield, Mo.

The Change of Life is the most critical period of a woman's existence, and neglect of health at this time invites disease and pain.

Women everywhere should remember that there is no other remedy known to medicine that will so successfully carry women through this trying period as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from native roots and herbs.

For 30 years it has been curing women from the worst forms of female ills—inflammation, ulceration, displacements, fibroid tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, and nervous prostration.

If you would like special advice about your case write a confidential letter to Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass. Her advice is free, and always helpful.

SHOOTING WHALES

Modern Whaling Uses a Cannon and an Explosive Harpoon.

Whaling with modern methods in Alaskan waters is an exciting game, especially for those who are new to the business. The modern whaling steamer is a little vessel almost round on the bottom, which enables it to be turned and maneuvered with the greatest ease. Mounted at the bow is a small cannon that shoots a harpoon weighing more than 100 pounds and having an explosive head, called the bomb.

If the shot is good and the harpoon is planted squarely behind the fin, the bomb crashes into the lungs, killing instantly; if not, the struggle may last for several hours.

After a whale has been killed the carcass is brought alongside the boat and inflated so that it will float. A long coil of rubber hose, one end of which is attached to a pump and the other to a hollow spear pointed tube of steel, with perforations along its entire length, is used for this purpose.

The spear is thrust well down into the whale's side, the air pump started and the body slowly filled with air. When inflated enough to keep it afloat the tube is withdrawn, the incision plugged with cakum and the carcass cast off. A buoy with a flag is attached to the body, and it is then set adrift to be picked up at the end of the day's hunting.

The whaling station is a group of buildings situated in a bay or cove near enough to the feeding grounds to allow the steamer to come in each night with the day's catch. The whales are anchored at a buoy in front of a long, inclined platform, upon which they are drawn, tail first, by means of a steam winch.

The saying that every part of the pig but the squeal is now of market value is also a fact with the whale. Not a particle of the animal is wasted. After the skeleton is stripped of flesh it is disarticulated and the bones chopped in pieces.

The blubber is tried out for oil, and the meat and bones are boiled for the same purpose. Later the flesh is artificially dried and sifted, making a fine guano, and the bones are ground up for fertilizer. Even the blood is boiled and dried with the flesh, and the water in which the blubber has been tried out makes excellent glue. The fins and tail, after being sliced into thin strips, are salted and barreled and shipped to Japan as an article of food.—World's Work.

A Judicial Favor.

A verdant local reporter whose propensities incline to daring rather than to judgment and whose ardency in the quest of news is one of his marked characteristics approached a judge of the United States district court and solicited a little advance information on a case in progress in the judge's court.

"You see, judge," said the youngster to the astonished jurist, "we go to press in a few moments, and we all know your inclination to do a newspaper man a favor."

The venerable man eyed the youth sternly and said slowly and emphatically:

"Yes, young man, I'll do you a favor this time, and you will see that you don't ask me again."

"That's fine, your honor. Thanks very much. Just a few lines will do."

"I will do you this favor. I shall not send you to jail this time, but if you ever approach me again with such a question your friends will not see you for some time."

The discomfited reporter retired ruminating on the mysteries of the law and the dignities pertaining to the judiciary.—Philadelphia Ledger.

LOCAL MENTION

Interesting News Items Condensed for Busy Readers.

Misses Eva Jarvis and Genevieve Mounts of Washington have returned home after spending a few days with their friend, Miss Ora Hall.

Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Hunter spent Sunday with the family of C. E. Lantz near Rices Landing.

Controller and Mrs. John H. Moffitt were in town from Washington Saturday night and Sunday visiting home folks.

Floyd Chalfant, the hustling young city editor of the Mail left today for a two weeks' vacation. He may visit Chautauqua and other points before he returns.

Mrs. Potter of Mansfield, Ohio is a visitor at the home of her son, W. E. Potter of Fallowfield avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Bowman of Braddock, were Sunday visitors in Charleroi, the guests of the latter's sister Mrs J. B. Barth, of Washington avenue. Their daughter, Ethel May, after a visit of two weeks here and Master Darwin Barth accompanied them home.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph R. Chalfant, daughter Alvera and son Chadds were over Sunday visitors of the former's mother Mrs. E. M. Chalfant of Washington avenue.

Phillip Hileman, managing editor of the Waynesburg Times, who was formerly an employe of the Charleroi Mail, was a visitor in Charleroi over Sunday.

Rev. A. M. Doak pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church, exchanged pulpits yesterday with Rev. William Allison of Wilkinsburg.

Miss Elsie Crill has gone to Cambridge Springs where she will spend several days.

Jesse Waggoner, of the Adams Express company, is a witness at court this week, being subpoened on the case where two foreigners shipped explosives illegally some time ago.

D. M. McCloskey, Esq. and Lee Chandler returned Sunday evening from Deerfield Park, Md., where they spent a delightful vacation.

S. Welton Sharpnack with his wife and daughter have returned from Rices Landing, where he spent the past week. He made the trip to and from that place in his Hupmobile.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar B. Walters returned to their home in Pittsburg last evening after having spent some time here.

Frank Flickinger of Pittsburg was a Sunday visitor with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Flickinger of McKean avenue.

John Maines the Pittsburg messenger, and his wife left this morning for a vacation to be spent at Sharon, Pa.

LOST—Pay envelope containing $26.46. Name Pillicall Levero. Finder leave at 12 Mail office. Reward. 5t2p

Chas. W. Hepler and family of Washington are visiting at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. Maude Slaughter on Second street.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Krahmer were Pittsburg visitors over Sunday.

Miss Jean Calvert and her friend, Miss Wheeler of Bellevue, and Miss Katherine Zellers were among the Charleroi contingent at the Bentleyville camp ground on Sunday.

Mrs. S. E. White who has been visiting at the home of J. S. Crawford has returned to her home in Wilkinsburg, Pa.

Mrs. T. F. Lindsay has left for Bellewood, where she expects to visit for a time.

J. J. Hott with his wife and baby daughter, left Saturday for Cambridge Springs in his large touring car. They will remain for a short vacation.

F. B. Burwell, district manager of the Bell Telephone company, visited friends in Brownsville Sunday.

Ray Moore came down in his motor boat from Millsboro Sunday to visit his friend, Daile Robert.

Adolph Beigel of the Sample Shoe Store, returned Sunday evening from a trip that included Cleveland, Detroit, Mt. Clemens and other points. Mr Beigel made the trip in his touring car.

Miss Mollie Craven spent Friday and Saturday in the millinery houses of Pittsburg looking up new fall styles.

Walter C. and T. Jay Reeves returned this morning from Niagara Falls and Buffalo, N. Y. where they spent the past week.

Miss Nellie Dick of California, formerly with Mrs. Dawson's millinery store is spending some time at Pittsburg preparatory to taking a position.

CONGREGATION INSTALLS PASTOR

Imposing Ceremonies Held Held Last Evening At Slavish Church

An interesting as well as imposing ceremony was the blessing of the priest's vestments and the installation of the new pastor of the Slavish Catholic church at Tenth street last evening. A number of visiting priests were present and addresses were made by Revs. Uhlaric of Pittsburg and Rev. Steri of Donora, Rev. W. D. Fries of St. Hermes church, and Rev. Wigley of Monessen, as well as the pastor of the local Italian Catholic church were also present and assisted. A feature was the music by the parish band.

The new pastor installed is Rev. Charles Tresny, who comes here from the south, where he has been engaged in missionary work. He succeeded Rev. Polevke, who was recently transferred to another location.

New York

Mrs. Emma Dawson, the proprietor of the Millinery Parlors at 602 Fallowfield avenue who is ever alert to the needs and demands of her trade in the line of Bon Ton Millinery is now in New York, carefully selecting the good things for her Charleroi parlors.

New York is the very center of Millinery art and one can always find the styles in all their richness. In this day and age the patrons expect and rightly to, to be able to have in their home store the new fashions decreed by fashion and at a much less cost than the same could be secured in the large cities as their rents and expenses in large cities is much greater than in our home town, hence the advantage of Mrs. Dawson going straight into the metropolitan market.

It will pay the ladies of Charleroi to drop in and see a few early advance styles on display and keep in touch with the progressive millinery store.

Mrs. Dawson expects this season to be a busy one and is laying in largely in order to supply the demand. 5t1.

FILIAL DUTY.

An Example From the Chinese of a Good Little Boy.

In China the "Book of Filial Duty" has been employed to instruct the young for the last 2,300 years. In it are twenty-four examples for good boys. What these examples are like may be understood from the story of Wu Meng, example No. 20. Wu Meng, it seems, was very obedient to his parents. One day at the age of eight he noticed with pain that the mosquitoes annoyed his parents while they were trying to sleep. Presently he hit upon a plan to rescue them.

Says the author of this classic: "The buzzing of the mosquitoes sounds like 'ying ying,' and their united hum is almost equal to thunder. His tired parents are reclining on their bed, their countenances already sunk in slumber. Legions of mosquitoes fiercely attack them, alternately retreating and advancing. The insects disturb the dreaming sleepers, and with annoyance they toss from side to side.

"Wu sees them sucking his parents' blood, which causes his heart to grieve. His flesh, he thinks, can be easily pierced, but that of his parents is hard to penetrate. Lying on the bed, he threw off his clothes, and soon, feeling the pain of their attacks, he cried, 'I have no dread of you, nor have you any reason to fear me!

"'Although I have a fan, I will not use it, nor will I strike you with my hand. I will lie very quiet and let you gorge to the full.'"

Thus did the parents of Wu Meng get a chance to sleep in peace.

Russian Vengeance.

The Russian revolutionaries have absolutely no mercy on those who betray them. It is well known that in the year 1903 a traitor caught at Odessa was bricked up alive in a cellar.

Regnier, a French spy in the pay of the Russian police, for a long time eluded the vengeance of the revolutionaries. But they caught him at last and that just at the moment when he fancied himself safe. His body was found in his cabin on a ship which reached Antwerp. He had been suffocated by fumes of sulphureted hydrogen. How this was done was never

Classified Ads

FOR RENT—5 rooms, bath, good yard $19.00; 5 room house 1100 Lincoln, $13.00; 4 room house house, Crest avenue, $12.00 3 rooms, upstairs McKean avenue, $9.00; 2 room house, $7.00. Inquire of Charles O. Frye, 511 Washington avenue. 3t8

WANTED—A girl for general housework. White or colored. Call at 414 Fallowfield avenue. 300tf

TO LET—Five room flat. Hall and Whitlatch, Fourth and Fallowfield. 287tf